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Sikeston teachers retire

Six retiring teachers were honored Wednesday at the Sikeston Community Teachers Association meeting at Sikeston High School. From left are Elva Manche, Anna Cochran, Nellie Reynolds, Carl Wright, Helen Reuber and James Stroud. (Daily Standard Photo)

East Prairie man draws 12 years

CHARLESTON — Ronnie Lane of East Prairie, convicted of first- degree robbery by a Circuit Court jury March 27, was sentenced Wednesday to 12 years in custody of the State Department of Corrections by Judge Marshall Craig.

A motion for a new trial from Lane's attorney was overruled by Judge Craig, but he did grant an oral application for a probation investigation and gave Lane credit for 105 days served in jail prior to sentencing.

Lane, who was tried under the habitual criminal act, was found guilty of taking $130 at gunpoint from Mrs. Carolyn Jackson on Jan. 15 at Friendly Market in East Prairie.

Roger Dale Scott was found guilty Wednesday of driving while intoxicated and driving while his operator's license was revoked by a Circuit Court jury presided over by Judge Craig.

The jury deliberated about an hour and a half before reaching the guilty verdict and assessing Scott's punishment at 90 days in the county jail and a $300 fine.

Missouri Highway Patrol Trooper Norris Grissom, the arresting officer, was the only witness called by Pros. Atty. W. Clifton Banta Jr. on direct examination. Grissom testified that on the night of Nov. 10, 1973, he saw Scott driving a pickup truck at the intersection of Highway 80 and Main Street in East Prairie.

Grissom said he knew Scott's operator's license had been revoked earlier in the year, and, after seeing him driving the truck, he turned his patrol car around and gave pursuit. Grissom said the truck was being driven at a normal rate of speed at the time it passed within four feet of him at the intersection. The truck slowed down to a creep, he said, before returning to the normal rate of speed.

According to Grissom, when the truck stopped, Dale Crump of East Prairie was driving and Scott was on the passenger side. Both men appeared to be intoxicated and were taken to the Charleston police station, given breathalyzer tests and charged.

On cross- examination, Grissom said he remembered seeing a Western-style hat with the brim turned up in the front and back on Scott's head when the truck first passed him. However, when the two men got out of the truck, Grissom said Crump was wearing the hat. He denied that he made a statement to Jim Owens that he was not sure if Scott was driving the truck.

Banta later recalled Grissom and called Deputy Sheriff Jack Ivie as rebuttal witnesses.

Scott testified in his own defense and denied driving the truck on the night in question or wearing the hat Grissom described at any time. Other defense witnesses were Mrs. Linda Scott, Crump and Mrs. Judy Owens.

Decrees of dissolution of marriage were granted Tuesday by Judge Craig to Robert Moore and Barbara Moore, with Mrs. Moore receiving custody of two children and $7.50 per child per week for child support, and to Mary Margaret Klar and Raymond Floyd Klar.



Rhinehart paintings unique

M. Charles Rhinehart takes a break from his painting amid other samples of his artwork in his Ste. Genevieve studio. Rhinehart has become one of the best known artists in the state, and is especially well known for his landscapes and abstracts with vibrant colors blended together by Rhinehart's own special technique and portrayal of an emotional quality through techniques he originated.

Curtis charged with 2 counts of murder today

PORTAGEVILLE — Two murder charges were filed today by New Madrid County Pros. Atty. Hal E. Hunter Jr. against 39- year - old Lindol Curtis in connection with the Tuesday night shooting deaths of his former wife and her mother.

Following an all night manhunt, Curtis was found at 9:15 a.m. Wednesday unconscious in his car which was parked in a barn on a farm road three miles west of the former Hollywood Courts Tavern north of Marston.

Curtis this morning was reported in serious condition, due to an apparent overdose of drugs, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., where he was transferred Wednesday after being first admitted to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

Mary Louise Curtis, 34, and her mother, Susan Gwaltney, 66, died instantly from multiple gunshot wounds at 10:50 p.m. Tuesday, allegedly fired by Curtis from a .38- caliber automatic pistol at the home of Mrs. Curtis on Portageville Route Three.

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Retiring teachers honored

Six retiring teachers were honored Wednesday afternoon at the Sikeston Community Teachers Association meeting at Sikeston High School.

The six, who will retire at the end of the school year, include:

Elva Manche, a fourth grade teacher at Southeast Elementary School, who has taught in the Sikeston school system for 11 years; Anna Chochran, who teaches fourth grade at Matthews Elementary and has taught in the school system for 20 years; Nellie Reynolds, a second and third grade teacher at Morehouse Elementary School who has been with the school for 35 years.

Carl Wright, who teaches American History at the high school, and has been with the

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Homes, cars, crops are damaged by hail

Insurance agents and adjustment bureau managers in the Sikeston area said today that they had received many reports of damage -- mostly minor -- to homes and crops from Wednesday afternoon's hail storm.

The brief deluge of hail occurred about 4 p.m., with hail stones as large as tennis balls and baseballs reported in some parts of the city and its outskirts. During the 24- hour- period ending at 7 a.m. today .26 inch of precipitation was recorded.

Hail mainly damaged roofs, awnings, garages, and windows of homes and some commercial buildings. Agents are also receiving reports of dents and chrome damage to motor vehicles from the hail.

Wheat and corn farmers are reporting some damage also, although the extent of damage will not be known until crops are given time to recover and adjusters survey the fields.

At Sikeston High School eight windows were broken out of the greenhouse, about two in the cafeteria and three in the welding shop, Roger Sherman, principal, said today.

The area was also under a severe weather watch Wednesday afternoon and early evening. Forecasters were calling for hail, high winds and a possible tornado, although only hail and rain struck Sikeston.

Forecasters are now calling for considerable cloudiness through Friday, with a chance of thundershowers ending Friday. Lows tonight will be in the mid 50s and highs Friday in the 70s. Probability of rain tonight is 40 per cent and 30 per cent chance Friday. Showers or thunderstorms are likely Saturday, ending Sunday and a pleasant and clear day is predicted for Monday.

Talent credited to God, techniques to discipline

By PAT GROJEAN

With no formal training in the field of art, M. Charles Rhinehart of Ste. Genevieve, has become one of the best known artists in the state.

Hard work, study, discipline and trial and error are given credit by Rhinehart for development of his techniques and theories of basic form, color and light over the past 20 plus years and for the success he has now achieved.

On each painting he produces, most of which are landscapes, Rhinehart also gives credit, just above the signature of his name -- M. Charles Rhinehart -- for his talent as an artist. This is done in the form of a cross (+) just above the initials JMJ. These initials and the cross, Rhinehart said recently, in an interview while visiting Sikeston, are to "give credit where it is due."

The initials stand for Jesus, Mary and Joseph, to whom he attributes what he believes is his God- given talent.

"I want to give credit where it is due without being a fanatic," Rhinehart says. He added that he says nothing about the initial unless asked -- but it is one of the questions most frequently asked of him.

Recalling his early days as a full-time artist, Rhinehart reported that it was not easy at first to make a living solely by selling his paintings.

Eleven years ago Rhinehart and his family decided that he should try to make it as a full-time artist. When asked if it was a hard decision, Rhinehart replied with no hesitation, "You're dad gum right it was hard to go full time."

The family gave up an outdoor advertising business and a church decorating business, both in Ste. Genevieve, so he could become a full-time artist. To the side, Rhinehart added, "We ate a lot of cream of wheat for awhile."

To get established as an artist, Rhinehart participated in most outdoors shows and taught art classes. For awhile, Rhinehart said he taught eight classes a week. Classes were held throughout Southeast Missouri; in Sikeston, Charleston, Cape Girardeau, East Prairie, Perryville, Farmington, Flat River and Fredericktown.

Although he no longer teaches classes on such a wide schedule as in previous years, he has taught one outdoor painting and drawing class each year, but has none scheduled for this summer.

When teaching students, Rhinehart says he tries to "teach them everything I have learned from basics to what I am doing today."

Rhinehart, although primarily a landscape painter, does some abstracts, too. He works mainly with oils. Rhinehart said his techniques have not changed through the years, but that he has just become more "knowledgeable and gained a greater insight and skill in the techniques."

Rhinehart is careful to guard the secrets of his own special techniques which make his pictures different from anyone else's. Rhinehart does say he feels he is very fortunate to have been able to develop a technique that makes his paintings different. He proudly adds that "no one else knows how to do it."

There are two parts to his paintings, according to Rhinehart. One is the use of his own theory of color, which he developed through the years, and the other is the use of the brush, although he did not elaborate on that. He did make it clear that he uses a regular bristle brush, and not an air brush as many people think.

"I had to create because I limited myself on the use of my brush at first," Rhinehart said. He feels that the limitation he placed on himself, although he no longer adheres to it, helped him create his own style.

His paintings may take him from as little as one day to complete up to a full year on some paintings. "Time doesn't make the painting," Rhinehart is quick to add.

The reason he can work on one painting for one year and not lose the idea of the picture is because the emotional qualities are put down in the first hour. "From then on, it's technical," Rhinehart adds.

Rhinehart prefers warm colors for his paintings and, from the time he started as an artist, he has painted with the same nine colors on his pallet.

The size of his paintings vary, but the techniques and the vibrant colors remain the same in each. "I like the big ones," Rhinehart said when asked what size of paintings he prefers to do.

He added that most of his paintings are in the 24 by 36- inch and 36 by 40- inch sizes. He does paintings as small as eight by 10 inches and as large as seven feet by 11 feet.

"I feel an artist who can do an eight by 10-inch painting and then an eight by 10- foot (painting) -- and have the same quality -- well, that is the mark of an artist."

Rhinehart says he may do 150 pieces of art in one year, including watercolors and drawings ... but only 10 or 12 big, "successful" paintings in one year.

Where do his ideas come from? Rhinehart gets them from the outdoors. He likes to be outdoors and especially likes to travel in the Southwestern states. During a 10- day or two - week painting trip, Rhinehart may acquire enough ideas to paint for a year and sometimes more.

Rhinehart does not try to paint the scene exactly as he sees it, but instead tries to convey the emotions he experienced about a certain view or place.

To carry an idea back to his studio in Ste. Genevieve, Rhinehart sometimes paints with watercolors, sometimes makes a black and white drawing and "sometimes I just sit and look."

Rhinehart is planning another painting trip West in June, which will double as a vacation for the family. He added that to him a painting trip is a vacation. His travels have taken him throughout the United States, including Alaska.

Awards are not important Rhinehart says, and he no longer participates in museum shows or contests. He does have several shows throughout the year, but reports that they "never have enough paintings for a show."

Paintings are sold before his supply can be replenished enough for some shows.

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N. Madrid escapees captured in Illinois

NEW MADRID — Three Urbana, Ill. juvenile boys, two aged 15 and one 16, who escaped about 8 p.m. Wednesday from the New Madrid County jail where they were being held for Illinois police, were captured this morning near Champaign, Ill., according to information received by the county sheriff's department.

The youths were in a 1970 model car stolen Wednesday night while it was parked at the New Madrid County Health Center at 650 Main St., a short distance from the county jail. The car was owned by Harold Lawson of Lilbourn.

The boys were runaways from the Champaign County Youth Home in Urbana where they had been confined on car stealing charges.

They were apprehended Monday in New Madrid County in a car which had been stolen near Portageville.

The youths used the same method as that of three other inmates who have successfully escaped in the past three months.

A light fixture in the ceiling of their cell was torn out to gain entrance to the attic. The boys then managed to reach the roof through a ventilator.

On Feb. 12 two Michigan men escaped by the same route and on March 17 a 16- year - old New Madrid youth left the jail in that manner. The men were later apprehended in Arizona and the youth was returned to police by his father.

An extensive $47,000 renovation of the jail was completed in October 1973.

200 expected at chamber dinner tonight

About 200 towns people are expected to attend tonight's 24th annual Chamber of Commerce banquet at 6:30 p.m. in Ramada Inn.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

The chamber will announce its selection for Man of the Year recognition at tonight's dinner.

The featured speaker will be George E. Gray, director of community development and governmental affairs on the executive staff of the St. Louis Regional Commerce and Growth Association.

Gray's responsibilities include development of policy and implementation of programs carried out by the community development and governmental affairs division.

Nude dasher is arrested

Eddie Lee Polk, 23, of Matthews Route One was arrested about 1:30 a.m. today by Miner Marshal Andy Freeman after allegedly dashing nude through Ramada Inn.

Freeman said Polk was caught by Ramada Inn security guard John Pearson.

Polk allegedly ran through the lobby and the lounge areas of the motel before being caught.

"The only thing he had on was his shoes," Freeman said.

Polk was arrested for being a public nuisance and was released after posting a $50 bond.

New Madrid chamber banquet set May 16

NEW MADRID— Jerry Shirley of Jefferson City, Southeast Missouri Area Community Betterment Specialist, Division of Commerce and Industrial Development, will be the featured speaker at the seventh annual Chamber of Commerce banquet and awards dinner scheduled on May 16.

The dinner will be at 7 p.m. in the New Madrid County R- 1 enlarged district vocational- technical school on Highway 61 at Interstate 55 Howardville interchange.

Shirley, 32, has been associated with the Missouri Community Betterment Program since Jan. 1, 1972 during which time he has visited and worked with many of the Bootheel area cities in the program.

He is a member of the Southern Industrial Development Council and Chamber of Commerce Executives of Missouri.

Prior to joining the Division of Commerce and Industrial Development, he was in the broadcasting field with radio and television stations in Missouri and Illinois.

Shirley's topic will be "My Town".



Jerry Shirley

Other program features announced will be a report of 1973- 74 activities by Clint Halstead, outgoing chamber president; presentation of awards by Mrs. Saundra Cope, first vice president elect; 1974- 75 program of work by Bob Hedgepeth, president elect; and musical entertainment by the New Madrid high school stage band.

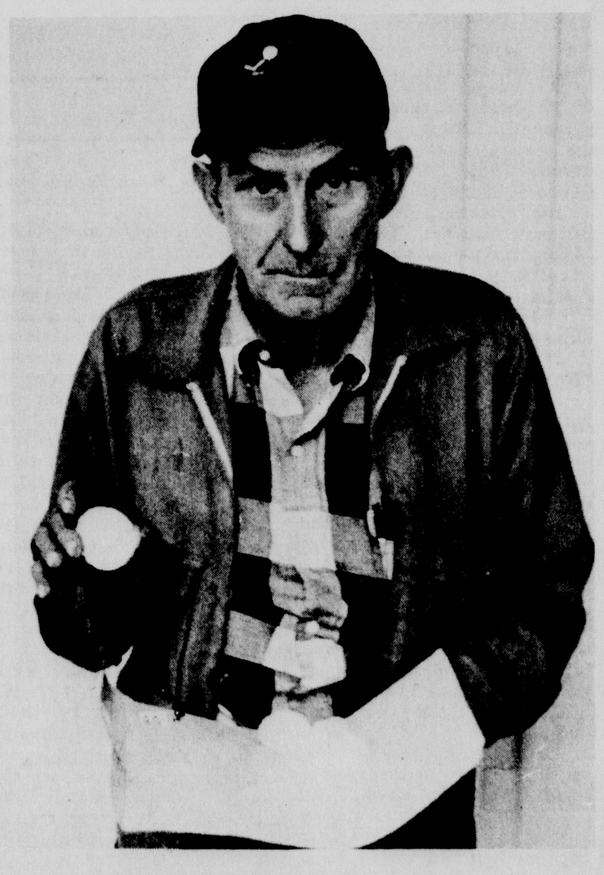
Tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce office, 311 Main Street.

Honors event set for Monday

The annual Sikeston High School honors reception, honoring students who ranked in the top 10 per cent of grades 10-12 and their parents will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the high school cafetorium.

The guest speaker will be John Moll, vice president of wholesale food distribution for Malone and Hyde Inc. in Nashville, Tenn. Moll is a Sikeston High School graduate.

The senior band will perform at the reception.



Large hailstones

Harvey Bailey, Route Two, holds large hailstones he collected Wednesday afternoon after a hail storm hit the Sikeston area. Bailey was working in a garden for Mrs. George Hensley at 310 Missouri St. when the storm hit. (Daily Standard photo)

It's inside...

Americans will pay more this year for their summer vacations. Turn to ... page 8.

Thirty traffic cases were heard Wednesday by Magistrate Lloyd Briggs. Turn to ... page 9.

Church League softball schedule is announced. Turn to ... page 11.

...and outside

Considerable cloudiness through Friday; chance for thundershowers ending Friday. Low tonight in mid 50s, winds southeast 8-15 mph. High Friday in the 70s. Probability of rain 40 per cent tonight, 30 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Showers or thunderstorms likely Saturday, ending on Sunday. Clear and pleasant Monday. Temperatures near normal with lows in the 50s and highs in the 70s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 77 and 49 degrees. Rain, accompanied by golf ball size hail, measured .26 inch.

Sunset today ..... 7:54 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...5:55 a.m.
Moonrise tonight. 11:13 p.m.
Last Quarter.....May 14

The planet Mars is now well above Saturn. Tonight, Mars is also a little above Mebusta, a dim white star in Gemini. Saturn sets tonight at--- 10:57 p.m. and Mars follows at--- 11:47 p.m.

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Thursday, May 9 — 35 BC, Job's fire insurance cancelled.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Home cooking is where a lot of wives aren't.

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PROTECT AMERICAN FISHERIES

For several years, hugh Soviet fishing fleets have been combing the Eastern shores of our country, and with typical ruthlessness and blatant disregard for conservation, have been literally destroying entire schools of fish, leaving nothing behind. Using sophisticated electronic fish- tracking gear, small- mesh nets which allow nothing to escape, and other coordinated attack tactics, the Soviets have been literally dragging the ocean clean. As a result, the New England coast, which once boasted a seemingly inexaustable supply of fish, has now been reduced to the point where certain species of fish, once plentiful, are now virtually extinct.

For example, a great favorite for famous New England fish chowders was once the Haddock. Almost anyone in a small boat could go out and with reasonable good luck could catch for himself a good Haddock from the millions which teemed in the sea. And the professional fisherman often returned to port with an entire shipload of Haddock, weighing several tons, with plenty more left where they came from.

Today, the Haddock is a rare species. The Communists have virtually wiped them out. And now the Reds have shifted their attack to other species. The Flounder, Cod, Mackerel, Sea Scallops and Lobster are being seriously threatened.

Attempts to establish some sort of international agreements to preserve our declining fish stocks have brought little more than a sneer from the Soviet Union. In the meantime, stop-gap legislation (H.R. 8665) has been introduced by Congressman Gerry E. Studds of Massachusetts, co-sponsored by 70 members of the House, and a similar bill (S. 1988) has been introduced in the Senate Hearings on these measures will open during May and June.

In the meantime, you can contact your own congressman and urge immediate action on this vitally important matter. Lacking international agreement, the United States should take forthright action to see that this important food supply is not totally destroyed.

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Prof. Sam Harbin laments that he's working harder today to pay his taxes than he once did to earn a living.

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Wanted to buy an ecological lawnmower, but the neighbors won't let us keep a goat.

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When you pay the fiddler, you never get bargain prices.

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A Sikeston man said that all he got out of the hullabaloo of his daughter's wedding was a drunk, and that his wife had been mad about it ever since.

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"The fact that U. S. agriculture is the most productive in the world is one of the important reasons why Americans on welfare live better than the top third of the population in most other countries," contends U. S. Agriculture Secretary Butz. According to the Arizona Farm Bureau Federation, he asked the question, "In what other country of the world do people on welfare have automobiles, central heat, running water, electricity, indoor toilets, color television, public health service and medicare?"

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After all, the greatest aid to health is regulating the diet

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EVERYONE KNOWS BUT US

Curious things are still going on in Vietnam, things that Washington would just as soon spare the American public from worrying about.

There was a slip-up the other day, however. A group of newsmen were being given a routine tour of a U. S. air base in Thailand when a helicopter came in with a pilotless reconnaisance plane slung beneath it. It seems that such drones are regularly sent on photographic and information - gathering missions over North Vietnam, and on returning are recovered in mid-air by helicopters.

The Pentagon defends the flights, saying that they are permitted under the Paris agreements which supposedly ended the Vietnam war.

That's not the point. The point is that unless the North Vietnamese are extremely nearsighted as well as hard of hearing, the secrecy surrounding such operations can only be directed against — we'll give you one guess.

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"... the challenges facing the energy companies in the years ahead will make the problems of the past seem tame by comparison. And yet, with those challenges will come great opportunities. Most industries would welcome the time when demand for their products outstrips supply. We should welcome the dawning of such an era, too. The transition from virtual total dependence on conventional energy sources to new forms of synthetic fuels holds intriguing possibilities. And the challenge of coexisting with our environment will provide perhaps the greatest test of all." -- Mr. W. H. Burnap, executive vice president of the Western Hemisphere Petroleum Division, Continental Oil Company.

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A Sikeston girl wore dresses so hard to get into that when she sent several to a rummage sale she accompanied each one with written directions

'YOU DON'T HEAR HIM COMPLAINING'



TOMORROW

MAY 10 — FRIDAY

COMMON PRAYER DAY. May 10. Denmark. National holiday.

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY. May 10. North Carolina and South Carolina.

FOUNDERS DAY OF TAURUS INTERNATIONAL. May 10. Purpose: 210th anniversary of the world's oldest professional society of communicators. Sponsor: Taurus International, Sol H. Marshall, Box 2244, Hollywood, Calif. 90028.

GOLDEN SPIKE CEREMONY REENACTMENT. May 10. Golden Spike Natl. Historic Site, Promontory Summitt, Utah. Commemorates completion of 1st Transcontinental Railway, in 1869. Info from: Supt., Golden Spike Natl Historic Site, Promontory Star Route, Corinne, Utah 84307.

PREAKNESS FESTIVAL WEEK. May 10-19. Info. from: Convention & Visitors Council, 102-104 St. Paul St., Baltimore, Md. 21202.

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SPINNING THEIR WHEELS

The women's lib legislation at Jefferson City is causing considerable wheel spinning by legislators, as our own Representative Osbourn seems to believe.

Last week most of an entire evening session was taken up with changing "he" and "she" bills so they would not designate either sex.

Then, Ozzie says, a Representative made the whole thing appear to be useless when he quoted the law that says:

"When any person is described or referred to by words imparting the masculine gender, females as well as males are included."

That ought to take care of all sexes.

Paris Appeal

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WHO RUNS AMERICA?

In a nationwide survey on national influence conducted by U. S. News & World Report, a cross- section of American leaders listed the five men or women they regarded as the "most influential in the United States today." In tabulating the results, 5 points were awarded to the person named in first place, 4 points for second place, and so on down to 1 point for fifth place. The results -- with the number of first- place votes in parenthesis:

	Points
1. Richard Nixon (279)	1,773
2. Henry Kissinger (119)	1,409
3. George Meany (12)	404
4. Ralph Nader (7)	218
5. David Rockefeller (7)	194
6. Warren Burger (1)	184
7. George Shultz (3)	182
8. William Simon (5)	178
9. Gerald Ford (1)	167
10. Wilbur Mills (2)	153
11. Mike Mansfield (1)	152
12. Edward Kennedy (4)	149

A number of other Americans did well in the survey.

Among them were Walter Cronkite, CBS news commentator; Senator Henry Jackson, a potential candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1976; U. S. District Judge John J. Sirica, who headed the judicial inquiry in the Watergate break-in; Katharine Graham, publisher of The Washington Post; Billy Graham, the evangelist; John Gardner of Common Cause, Governor George C. Wallace of Alabama, and ex-Governor Nelson Rockefeller of New York.

What emerges from this leadership survey, in its totality, is a portrait of influence in America that is surprisingly like some widely held suppositions -- and remarkably unlike others.

Some major implications says U. S. News:

-- Americans see individual influence today as increasingly a matter of organizational connections rather than personal qualities, whether leadership operates in the spotlight or out of public view.

-- In the aggregate, political and governmental institutions seem to weigh most heavily in the minds of U. S. leaders when they evaluate influence. Communications -- especially television -- are clearly a strong and growing force.

-- Business, industry and finance do not emerge as dynamic influences in the results of this questionnaire. Many leaders could not name the top executive officers of the nation's biggest corporations, a situation that might have stirred widespread concern in times past.

--Long- held suspicions that the influence of religion, educational institutions and political parties are not as strong as once thought appear to be borne out in the answers given by American's leaders.

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Nothing like living in a free country. If you don't believe it ask the extreme radicals, Communists, dope heads, and other kooks who do everything in the book against their country and still stay out of jail.

One of the latest groups to get newspaper and television coverage is an organization to Impeach the President. This "friendly" group of Americans paraded in Washington, D. C. last week with banners and slogans all urging the removal of Nixon from office. Similar groups paraded in other large cities and the TV cameras, as usual were there to publicize this "historic event."

Solid citizens should have long since got the message that radicals who are primarily interested in doing away with our form of government are not on their side. The left-wingers are out to foment revolution and cause trouble, that's their aim and they do an excellent job.

Some day a radical will call up a large newspaper and tell them they are going to blow-up the Courthouse at 9 p.m. and to please send a photographer. It would be our guess the cameraman would show up on time all ready for action.

In our society today it is proper for anarchists and other revolutionaries to appear on television on talk shows, speak to our young people in colleges and universities and in most cases get paid large fees for blasting yours and my beloved country. Anything goes and the more radical the speaker the more money he or she gets paid. Twenty-five years ago some of the worst would have been jailed for such remarks, and fifty years ago, most would have been lynched.

When anyone tells you about our imperialistic nation and lack of privilege, you can be certain they are speaking the Communists line.

No where in the world can editors speak out as freely as they do in America and no nation permits the diatribe and insults flung out by acknowledged revolutionaries as here.

With all our shortcomings, the U. S. is still the land of the free but the tide is turning unless the majority of Americans take heed and use their influence at the ballot boxes to elect candidates who will defend their country instead of those going along with the left wing movement.

Col. Wm. Lester Simpson in the Holden Enterprise

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NIXON'S HUMILIATION, AMERICA'S SHAME

When the story of the rise and fall of Richard M. Nixon is written, the most painful chapter of all will be the one recounting how the President was forced to humble himself to the extent of revealing his private finances.

The collapse of "executive privilege" as a defense in the matter of the Watergate tapes and other White House documents was bad enough. But it was a setback not so much to the President as to the "presidency," with which Richard Nixon had so uniquely identified his own interests.

The publication of his income tax returns was a profoundly personal humiliation.

It was a humiliation, not because it means that Richard Nixon has less right to privacy than other Americans — though there is certainly merit in the argument that every elected or appointed high official on both a national and state level should as a matter of course, and of morality, make public his income tax return each year.

It was a humiliation because circumstances — or his "enemies," if you will — forced Mr. Nixon to waive his right to privacy. To make matters worse, the disclosure has had just the opposite effect than the hoped-for one of allaying public concern over the President's honesty.

The average person is not interested in the intricacies and convolutions of the President's Form 1040; he has enough trouble making out his own return. All he sees is a total income in six figures and a total tax paid in three figures. All that impresses him is that during the first four years of his term, the President paid an income tax at an effective rate of only 1 per cent.

It matters not one whit that it was apparently legal, or "technically defensible," as some tax experts have put it. It makes no difference to point out that the President, by taking advantage of every benefit and deduction, was only using a sharp razor the same as any sensible person.

The President of the United States is just not supposed to do what "everybody does." Or at least not do it so monumentally well.

"I have proceeded in a manner I thought both prudent and in the best interest of my family," said Mr. Nixon in his statement accompanying the release of his financial report.

Mr. Nixon's "prudence" has made him a millionaire since his election in 1968 and taken him and his family a long way from the respectable cloth coat days of 1952.

No one begrudges him that. What galls the average persons is his apparent use of his high office to accelerate the enrichment process, especially that disputed half- million - dollar tax write-off of his vice presidential papers donated to the National Archives.

Perhaps the weakest defense of the President was offered by Vice President Gerald Ford. The tax laws are aimed at giving everybody equal treatment, he said, and Mr. Nixon did adhere to the law in following the advice of his tax counsel and his CPA.

The fact is that there is no such thing as equality of treatment between a man earning $5,000 or $10,000 and one earning $100,000 or $200,000. The little guy simply does no not qualify for the numerous tax breaks available to the rich guy. For sure, he doesn't have a lawyer or accountant to advise him.

That is why Americans are disgusted. It's not just the President but the whole unfair system.

The humiliation is Richard Nixon's. The shame is America's.

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Anything that's 100 % wool these days is probably being worn by a sheep.

H. L. Hunt

PROFESSOR TURNED POLICEMAN

Dr. George Kirkham is an assistant professor in the School of Criminology of Florida State University. He decided that he would become a policeman for a few months in order to know more about the subject he was teaching. His experiences, as recounted in the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin, gave him valuable insights into the problems policemen face and the great services they perform for all of us.

Like many people in colleges and universities, Dr. Kirkham had believed that policemen had too much authority and were too quick to use force against lawbreakers. After only a few weeks on the beat, he realized that the policeman's "ability to back up the lawful authority which he represents is the only thing which stands between civilization and the jungle of lawlessness."

Dr. Kirkham came to appreciate the great stresses on a policeman. They must make difficult decisions in a split second, sometimes in life or death matters. They come face to face daily with poverty and injustice, violence and greed, pain and sufferings. They carry on their shoulders the safety of all the people in their community.

After his experiences as a policeman, Dr. Kirkham realized that the courts are much too lenient on lawbreakers and do not often enough take into account the sufferings of the victims of crimes. He stated that in his "new role as a police officer, I found that the victims of crime ceased to be impersonal statistics."

Dr. Kirkham's story should be studied by all those who do not fully appreciate the vitally important job that policemen do for all of us. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Condemnation Before Trial:

Strauss: Official Position On Impeachment Depends On What's Good for Democrats

WASHINGTON — To each his own. On March 28, Democratic National Committee chairman Robert Strauss struck a note of loyalty -- to his party. Said he, the Democratic position on impeachment must be based on what "is good or bad for the Democrats." Then, to even matters, he added: "... Good or bad for the country."

He did not elaborate on what he or his colleagues would do if there were a conflict between what was good for the party and good for the nation. But apparently all sides are full steam ahead to crack President Nixon. And admittedly with great candor. Strauss allegedly speaks for the center. His party's left wing, otherwise known as George McGovern's Americans for Democratic Action (ADA), which has its national conference May 9, is just as outspoken.

In a recent communique to its troops, the ADA admitted it is having difficulty convincing the rank- and- file citizenry that impeachment is as good for the country as it is for the party. The missive was signed by national chairman Congressman Donald Fraser, a Democratic- Farmer- Labor activist since he was 23 years old. One of Hubert Humphrey's disciples.

Since the masses don't appear to be stirred by the impeachment movement, Fraser, who as a Representative from Minnesota should be waiting for the Judiciary Committee to submit the evidence, writes to his fellow ADA-ers quite plaintively:

"We must continue to wage a massive education campaign. We must explain these constitutional issues in plain, simple language. Our message must reach beyond the liberals and intellectuals to the conservatives and moderates who cherish our Constitution."

The ADA theory here seems to be that conservatives and moderates should be dosed with monosyllables. And three-word sentences. Such as: He must go. Bill Buckley, please note.

Congressman Don Fraser and such ADA vice chairmen as Prof. J. Kenneth Galbraith want to whip up the impeachment movement at all costs -- and since their action program will cost much, it would be fascinating to have John Gardner's Common Cause look at the books. Why?

Just look at the ADA strategy outlined in Fraser's call to arms. The strategy requires the kind of heavy funds which only labor organizations can contribute or an esoteric millionaire whose dad left him $800 million.

"ADA is hard at work:

"Distributing 500,000 copies of the Case for Impeachment.

"Distributing 250,000 copies of a special ADA World impeachment issue.

"Publishing both a Watergate bibliography and chronology.

"Distributing an analysis of congressional attitudes based on our lobbyists' daily meetings.

"Organizing public meetings, phone and letter campaigns, and personal visits to U.S. Representatives in their home districts.

"Organizing special media campaigns to present our views to TV and radio audiences and to readers of the nation's newspapers.

"Organizing a grassroots phone bank for quick action and for dissemination of impeachment information."

Then comes an appeal for funds. Says Fraser, "The impeachment phone bank takes money." Certainly does. But where is it coming from?

There are labor leaders on the ADA board. There is cooperation from the United Mine Workers, whose president Arnold Miller is soon to get on the ADA high command. There he will join Joe Rauh, Jr., the lawyer who made him the miners' president. Also the machinists and the communication workers, the unions which bolted in 1968 when ADA excoriated and excommunicated Hubert Humphrey, are virtually back in the fold.

Fraser, it can be argued, should be more judicious. He is the head or deputy chief of a number of Democratic groups. He has to vote for or against Dick Nixon's indictment. Therefore it can be assumed, without benefit of Sherlock Holmes's curved pipe, that he and his band of ADA Congressmen long ago made up their mind to remove the President from office.

And since his vote for indictment, or impeachment, is guaranteed, he and his colleagues are in the hustings with an expensive and expansive campaign to bolster their vote because, as he says in his letter, many Congressmen are "reluctant" to take "this necessary step ... The impeachment vote in the House will be extraordinarily difficult for most House members." So the ADA wants to iron- rod their backbones.

Apparently Don Fraser agrees with Chairman Strauss that what is good for the party is good.

Is this the Fraser- Galbraith interpretation of fair play, innocence before guilt is proven and objective judgment? Or is it just the ADA way?

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:

The Hunt Bribe

WASHINGTON-- The most serious question raised by the White House transcripts is whether President Nixon authorized a bribe payment to Watergate conspirator E. Howard Hunt.

As the reporter who uncovered the hush- money scandals, I have been questioned about the circumstances by both the Watergate prosecutors and Senate investigators. Here are the sordid details:

Scarcely a month after the Watergate burglars were arrested, Hunt wrote a threatening, three- page letter demanding "to contact someone in the White House."

His attorney, William O. Bittman, read the letter to the Nixon campaign committee's attorney, Kenneth W. Parkinson.

"Give us a week," requested Parkinson.

Hunt told Bittman to reply: "No, you get two days."

"Okay," promised Parkinson. "Something will be worked out in a couple of days."

He spoke to John Mitchell, then the campaign chief, who told White House counsel John Dean about Hunt's demand for money. Dean summoned the President's personal attorney, Herbert Kalmbach, to Washington. They held a whispered, sidewalk conference in front of the Hay- Adams Hotel and asked him to raise money for the Watergate defendants.

Stressing the necessity for secrecy, Dean suggested the hush money should be channeled through Anthony Ulasewicz, an ex- New York cop straight out of Damon Runyon.

Kalmbach collected between $210,000 and $230,000, which he delivered in secret packets to Ulasewicz. They kept in touch with one another through pay phones, using code names to identify the people involved in the pay-off.

Hunt was referred to as "the writer" because of his sideline as a novelist. His wife Dorothy, using pay phones and answering to the code name "Chris," passed out hush money in sealed envelopes to other Watergate defendants.

As their trial date approached, Mrs. Hunt met on Nov. 30, 1972, with Waterbugger James McCord. She warned that the payments would be cut off "unless you fellows agree to plead guilty...and keep your mouths shut."

Four weeks later, we broke the story that the White House wanted the Watergate burglars to enter guilty pleas. "By pleading guilty, the defendants could avoid a public spectacle," we wrote, "and save the White House embarrassment."

But we still couldn't find out who was paying their legal bills. "Who is paying for these high- powered, high- priced attorneys?" we asked in our December 26, 1972, column. By this time, we had succeeded in winning the confidence of some of the Cubans on the Watergate burglary crew. But all they would admit to us was: "We were told when we took the job that we would be taken care of."

They refused, however, to plead guilty. They thought they would get a better break by having their day in court, since they had merely carried out what they had thought to be White House orders.

Suddenly, their hush payments were cut off. We reported on January 11, 1973, that "some of the defendants in the Watergate trial are sending quiet signals to the Nixon Administration that they may start talking before they'll go to prison." We mentioned G. Gordon Liddy and E. Howard Hunt.

We learned, meanwhile, that the Cuban defendants planned to meet at the Arlington Towers across the Potomac from the Watergate to decide whether to give in to the pressure and plead guilty. I arranged with one of them to slip into a nearby room and give me progress reports on their meeting. He told me they had agreed after a heated discussion to plead guilty.

We were able to report on January 15, 1973, that "Hunt agreed to plead guilty, apparently with a tacit understanding that he wouldn't have to spend too long in jail. He urged the other defendants privately to follow his example."

Then came the clincher. We reported an offer "to make regular payments to the defendants' families. A $1,000- a- month figure was mentioned. Our sources could not, or would not, identify the men behind the scenes. We can report only that most of the money for the defendants was funneled through Hunt."

President Nixon has claimed he didn't learn about the bribe payments until March 21, 1973. Yet we had reported the story in 950 newspapers more than two months earlier.

The White House transcripts show that John Dean told the President on March 21 that Hunt was demanding an additional $120,000.

"You have no choice but to come up with the $120,000 or whatever it is. Right?" asked the President after much discussion.

"That's right," agreed Dean.

"Would you agree that that's the prime thing that you damn well better get that done?" pressed the President.

"Obviously," said Dean, "he (Hunt) ought to be given some signal anyway."

"(Expletive deleted), get it," directed the President.

A discussion followed about who should arrange the money. White House staff chief H. R. Haldeman mentioned John Mitchell's name.

Immediately following the meeting, Haldeman telephoned Mitchell, who allegedly asked aide Fred LaRue to deliver $75,000 in campaign cash to Hunt. The FBI has established that the money was delivered about 10 o'clock that night to Hunt's attorney.

Mitchell reported back to the White House next day that Hunt was no longer a problem.

Portageville ambulance service begins May 17

PORTAGEVILLE — The Portageville Emergency Ambulance Service is scheduled to begin 24- hour operations May 17 according to Bob Duggins certified emergency medical technician, who said the service will be manned by qualified volunteer firemen.

Duggins, assistant fire chief, and volunteer fireman Bill Foster recently completed a 13-week paramedical training course to become qualified as ambulance attendants.

Four more men are scheduled to be certified by June 17 and two husband-and- wife teams plan to begin the course in July, Duggins said.

"We hope to have at least 14 qualified EMTs. We would like to have as many as we possibly can and be prepared to meet any type of emergency such as a tornado or school bus accident," Duggins remarked.

All Missouri Division of Health requirements and specifications will be fulfilled by the service, Duggins stated.

He emphasized that the emergency ambulance service is authorized to transport patients only to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti or Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Duggins explained that under state regulations all calls must be considered emergencies and, therefore, patients have to be transported to the nearest available hospital.

"Ambulance attendants are controlled in what procedures to follow," Duggins said, adding, "We have no authority to judge a patient's condition and we are required to take a patient to the nearest hospital.

"If a patient wishes to be transferred to a different hospital, then transferrals will be determined and made by the nearest hospital where the patient is first admitted."

Ambulance calls will be received and dispatched by the city police department. Persons needing an ambulance are instructed to call the department at 379-5500.

The dispatcher then relays the call to the volunteer attendants who are equipped with a tone alert to receive calls at any time wherever they might be.

The city's new fully equipped ambulance will be on display for public inspection Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. at 411 E. Main St.

The unit is equipped with a multi- frequency radio for communications with the county sheriff's department and the Sikeston and Hayti hospitals.

Medical equipment available includes two suction units, one installed in the ambulance and one portable unit four oxygen hook- ups - two installed in the unit and two portable — several types of spine boards and splints; equipment to monitor all vital signs and a cardio- beeper to monitor a patient's heartbeat by a light and earphone while en route to a hospital.

An ambulance trip to the Sikeston hospital will cost $45, and $35 will be charged for patients transported to the Hayti hospital. A $15 fee will be charged for trips within the city to transport invalid patients to local doctors.

In addition, a $5 charge will be made for the use of oxygen, and charges will be made for any disposable supplies used in patient treatment.

Duggins said the service is expected to be approved for use by persons eligible for Medicare and medicaid benefits.

Area of operation is set within a 15- mile radius from Portageville. However, Duggins said this is flexible to allow assistance into other areas should an emergency arise when other ambulances are not available.

Service boundaries announced are Highway 62 on the north; floodway ditches on the west; Mississippi River on the east; and Routes T and VV on the south.



Car object of search

This car and its driver, Lindol Curtis of Portageville were objects of a search Wednesday by Southeast Missouri law enforcement officers. Curtis was wanted in connection with a double slaying near Portageville Tuesday night. Both he and the car were found early Wednesday morning, partially hidden in a barn along a field road west of Marston. Curtis was unconscious when found, apparently from an overdose of drugs, and is in Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., in serious condition.

(Daily Standard Photo)

Caruthersville to vote on city manager issue

CARUTHERSVILLE — Next Tuesday is election day for residents of Caruthersville and Hayti. In Caruthersville, the issue is the city manager form of government. Hayti residents will elect a new mayor.

Caruthersville voters are again being asked whether or not they want to change the present mayor- council form of city government to the city manager type of government.

On Dec. 5, 1972, the voters rejected the same proposal by 89 votes. The vote in 1972 waws 437 for the city manager issue and 526 against.

If the issue passes, the only immediate change would be a special election to elect five aldermen at large to represent the city. The mayor would then be elected by the five aldermen instead of a city- wide vote for mayor.

The five aldermen would then hire a city manager to run the city, subject to dismissal at any time by the council if it was felt the manager was not doing his job.

Dennis Cain, a Caruthersville businessman chairman of the city planning commission, and who helped obtain over 500 signatures on a petition calling for a vote on the proposal, commented:

"Our experience is that a mayor type system is unsatisfactory, inefficient, cumbersome, and a very wasteful form of government. We need someone trained to handle city affairs. I have been in a business in Caruthersville for 40 years and during that time the mayor form has been non- functional. It has not been efficient, or forward-looking, or progressive.

Woodrow Johnson, ward four alderman who was elected by a very narrow margin during the April 2 city election, is a proponent for the mayor- council form of government.

"At the present time with the city in the financial condition it is in, I would have to be stronger against a city manager for lots of reasons. I believe a city manager, a stranger, would have a lesser amount of interest than a local person who has helped build the city for the last 30 or 40 years," he said.

Chaffee plant may construct new building

CHAFFEE — Florsheim Shoe Co. has initiated preliminary discussions with the Chaffee Chamber of Commerce for plans to construct a new enlarged factory at the industrial park located at the north boundary of the city on the west side of Highway 77.

Dan Bollinger, chamber president, announced the company's action to the Chaffee City Council Monday night. He said the move would require that the city provide a paid access road to the site and two or three proposals from the chamber and city regarding building, property, size and location.

The council appointed Mayor Sally Wehmeyer, and Councilmen Morris Welsh and George Allwood to serve on a committee with Bollinger which will meet with Florsheim representatives to discuss the alternative plans.

The company's present plant facility in Chaffee, owned by the Chaffee Civic Development Co., contains 55,000 square feet of floor space. The proposed new plant would contain between 65,000 and 75,000 square feet.

Alternative plans to be discussed would include the development company constructing the new building and leasing it to the firm, the city constructing the building and leasing it to the firm or the shoe company constructing the building.

The 57- acre industrial park tract is presently leased as farmland. Richard Enderle has been awarded the lease for the current year with a bid of $2,009.07, the high bid of two received for the property.

He has made a verbal agreement with the council that he will relinquish the property to the city if and when the factory becomes a reality.

River stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	21.3	-.7
Cape Girardeau	32	26.5	-.5
New Madrid	34	21.9	+.2
Caruthersville	32	22.3	Sta

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .8 Friday; fall 1.0 Saturday; and fall 1.0 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .8 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .9 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .3 Friday; fall .6 Saturday; and fall .5 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .5 Friday; fall .1 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	17.6	-.2
Paducah	39	18.6	-.1
Grand Chain	42	29.2	-.2
Cairo	40	30.8	-.2

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall .1 Friday; fall .1 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall .1 Friday; fall .5 Saturday; and fall .7 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .6 Saturday; and fall 1.0 Sunday.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, ILL. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hogs 8,000; butchers 75-1.00 lower. Sows 50-1.00 lower.

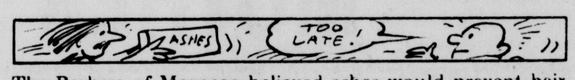
US 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 28.00, US 1-3 200-230 lb 28.0028.25; 230-250 lbs 26.50-28.00.

US 1-3 300-350 lb sows 23.00; 350-600 lbs 22.50-23.00.

Boars, all weights 22.50-23.00.

Cattle 1,000; supply mostly feeders for regular Thursday auction. Cows steady.

Commercial and utility cows 27.00-31.00; cutter 25.00-28.00; canner 22.00-25.00.



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Chaffee sewer project nears completion

CHAFFEE — The Chaffee sewer project, including main trunk line pipes, lift stations, and a new lagoon- type disposal, is nearing completion after being bogged down for over a year, according to James Harbison, superintendent of H & B Construction Co. of Matthews, and a subcontractor, C. B. Construction Co. of Eldon.

The south end of Chaffee will pump sewage through the new lagoon in approximately three weeks.

The north end of Chaffee, if the weather permits, should be pumping sewage through the new lagoon in approximately 30 to 45 days.

Harbison explained that the plan originally called for completion in a 10- month period beginning in May 1972. Wet weather delays, cave- ins and one things and another have brought about approximately $39,000 loss to the H & B Co. due to the numerous delays, Harbison said.

Each time a lift station is installed or a main trunk line is run at the required depth, well points are driven into the ground and the water level lowered to permit working conditions.

Burglars take auto equipment

Burglars stole several items at Sikeston Auto Salvage, 1615 W. Malone Ave., and took a tape player from a truck, police said today.

Taken late Wednesday night or early this morning were a steering wheel, two stereo speakers, a signal light switch and three carburetors.

The items were valued at $165.

A stereo tape player was stolen between 8 and 9:15 p.m. Wednesday from a pickup truck belonging to John Parks of Morehouse, while the truck was parked at Clayton Avenue Missionary Baptist Church.

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Golf fashions

These members of the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association show off their form as they model clothes for golfing. The pictures, taken Tuesday, show clothing used on cooler days, including sweaters, slacks, jackets and Jamaica shorts. On warmer days, culottes, halter tops, etc., show up on the course.

Golf interest increases

By JUDY STRICKLIN

"There are a lot more women in golf now that the sport is being promoted by bigger tournaments," according to Mrs. Evelyn Warf, president of the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association, who said more women are participating locally, as well as nationally.

Mrs. Tatty Tope, the SLGA tournament chairman, was quick to add that there are 52 members in the association who play every Tuesday at Sikeston Country Club, which is the most the organization has ever had.

"New golfers, or beginners, play nine holes at first and then graduate into 18- hole play with the other members," Mrs. Warf added, "and most women would rather be taught by a man than a woman." She and Mrs. Tope both believe that is due to the fact that golf was first a man's game and that women don't like to be shown up by other women.

Mrs. Betty Dawson, considered the women's pro at Sikeston Country Club, said that as far as clubs, irons, putters, etc., are concerned, it is mostly a matter of individual taste. "Some women could probably play golf with four clubs," she said. "Others need all the clubs in their bag."

Of the women in the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association, which consists of women members of the country club, three are considered good enough for pro- am tournament play, in which amateur golfers are paired with professionals to form a team. The three are Betty Dawson, Mary Bain and Brownie Urban.

Mrs. Bain is a past winner of the women's Southeast Missouri Tournament, an annual event held last year at Charleston. This year the women's event will be on the Cape Girardeau Jaycee course.

The next tournament at Sikeston Country Club is scheduled May 28 when the women will host a doubles scramble for women of the area.

"There are also four classes for women golfers," explained Mrs. Dawson, "Championship, Class A, Class B and Class C. Championship is the highest, and women work their way up the classes as they become better golfers."

"Sikeston Ladies Golf Association has two tournaments annually," Mrs. Tope said. "These are the Sikeston handicap event and the Sikeston club championship. That helps keep some of the competition local," she explained.

Golf clothing varies according to the weather, the women agreed. In cooler weather, slacks, sweaters, etc., are worn, and in the summer, everything from shorts and golf skirts to culottes and pants, halter and tank tops and sleeveless blouses are seen. Women's golfing outfits also include golf shoes and gloves.

"I think golf is becoming more popular," Mrs. Warf concluded, "because the sport is being pushed more. People hear more about it, and they're curious. So they find out, and once they get into the sport, I believe they truly enjoy themselves."

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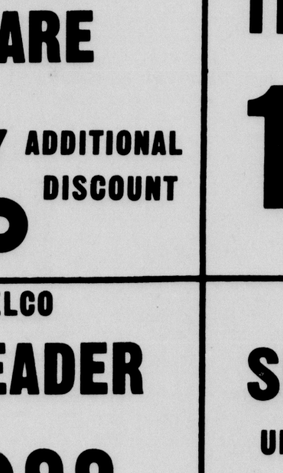
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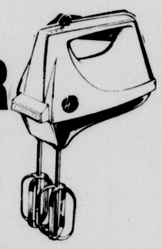


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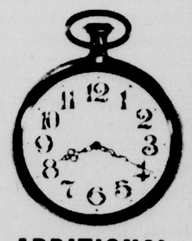


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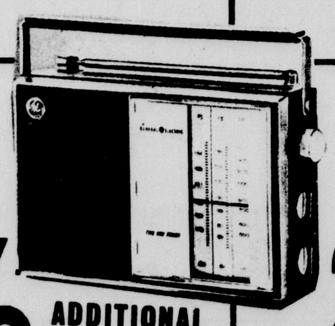
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Dear Ann Landers: Thank you for printing that wonderful letter from the young woman in the wheelchair. I hope she gets her chance to be someone's sweetheart or wife.

You missed an important opportunity, Ann. Why didn't you make it clear that just because a person is in a wheelchair doesn't mean he or she can't enjoy sex. Yes, even men and women who are paralyzed from the neck down. This is a fact that a great many people aren't aware of.

It's still not too late to let them know. Please print this letter and add a word or two of your own.-- One Who Has Been There

Dear Been There: Thank you for giving me an opportunity to pass on this useful information. Of course, you are right. The medical explanation is too intricate to go into here, but it IS a fact that most wheelchair people are capable of having sexual relations. In some instances, special counseling to overcome psychological problems may be needed, but physically, they can perform as well as anyone else.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a 21- year- old woman who is built like a 12- year- old boy. Will you please tell me where I can get silicone injections? Please read my question carefully. I am NOT asking what you think of the idea, I am asking where I can find a doctor who will give me the injections. I'm flat as a board and hate the way I look.-- Bustless Bootsie

Dear Boot: I hope you will not feel that I am overstepping my bounds when I tell you what the LAW thinks of silicone injections. They are considered dangerous and have been declared illegal. It seems that several women who had silicone shots developed tumors in various parts of the body and serious medical problems resulted.

Silicone implants, however, can be a safe and satisfactory approach to breast enlargement. Many plastic surgeons perform this operation and you can learn who in your vicinity does it by asking your own family doctor or contacting the County Medical Society.

Dear Ann Landers: I just want your readers to know that the world isn't all bad. There are still a lot of good people around.

My mother was driving and we were going toward town. A car to the right of us ran a red light and hit us broadside. I was scared stiff. My mother's head hit the windshield and she had blood all over her face. I am 17 and thought I was very grown- up, but when something like that happens you get young again awfully fast.

People came running to help us from every direction. Someone called the police. Another person called an ambulance. Somebody brought over an ice pack and towels for Mother. The kindness from these strangers was just beautiful.

The people in the other car stopped and accepted the blame. They didn't try to lie out of it like some people would. A young mother was hurt in the accident. I pray to God that she will be O. K. Please sign me-- Things Are Good In Nampa, Idaho

Dear Nam: Of course there are a lot of wonderful people around. The trouble is they don't make news, so we rarely hear about them. Thank you for writing.

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Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	121	120	0	1
Pediatrics	23	10	0	13
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: 2

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:
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Melody Kenser, Morley
Eric Williams, Sikeston
Billy M. Bradley, East Prairie
Ernest Taylor, Sikeston
Vera C. Gimlin, Sikeston
Nelda Kimes, Portageville
Juanita Hoss, East Prairie
Addie Phillips, Portageville
Mamie Givens, Sikeston
Lillian N. Riley, Lilbourn
Marie E. Leible, Charleston
Bernice Hudson, Sikeston
Alpha Owens, East Prairie
Robert M. Carter, New Madrid

Total patients discharged	15
Total patients admitted	22
Births	0

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Accident patients	6
Medical patients	34
Others	23
Total emergency patients	63

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
John McCall, Jackson
Mauberine Sarfs, Cape Girardeau
Susie Thomas, Chaffee
Anna Marie Brinker, Oran
Brenda Sitz, McGee
Released:
Patricia Angel, Lutesville
Opal Bradshaw, Sikeston
Ida Stroder, Cape Girardeau
Genevieve Watson, Chaffee

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Shirley Simpson, Bernie
Eugene James, Bernie
Mary Forkum, Dexter
Lillian McCulley, Morehouse
Released:
Clyde Quinn, Bloomfield
Patricia Clark, Essex
Leveda Hopkins, Bloomfield
James Burton, Bloomfield
Ruby Moore, Malden
Charles Dean, Bernie
Phyllis Roach, Sikeston
Robert Cooksey, Sikeston
Myrtle Williams, Dexter
Lula Crabb, Dexter
Stanley Bolin, Dexter

Rolan Pyke, Dexter

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Pam Teeler, Caruthersville
Eva Gravett, Caruthersville
Marie Pratt, Caruthersville
Albert Carnell, Hayti
Dempsey Cornell, Hayti
Thelma Fair, Hayti
Sol Plad, Hayti
David Wilburn, Steele
Clay Lamb, Steele
Annette Graham, Wardell
William McPherson, Wardell
Beatrice Sullivan, Portageville
Released:
Reginald Hall, Hayti
Elizabeth Reeves, Caruthersville
Jerry Jones, Deering
Handoma Hammra, Deering
Marvin Jones, Lilbourn

Meetings

MONDAY

The Kings Highway Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Harry Warren Jr. at 1304 E. Cyprus St., Charleston, for installation of officers.

TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mary Ann Maevers, 922 Hawthorne Drive. Glenna Priday will present the program.

New books at Sikeston library

Fiction:

"Cashelmara", by Susan Howatch.

"Malevil", by Robert Merle.

"The Voyage Unplanned", by Frank Yerby.

"In Connection With Kilshaw", by Peter Driscoll.

"The Reason For Roses", by Babs Deal.

"The Wild Hunt", by Jill Tattersall.

Non-Fiction:

"The Anderson Papers", by Jack Anderson.

"Times to Remember", by Rose Kennedy.

"Monarchs In Waiting", by Walter Curley.

"Hunting Upland Birds", by Charles Waterman.

"Horns In the High Country", by Andy Russell.

"To Conquer a Peace", by John Edward Weems.



35 attend golf meeting

Marlene Kruger and Wanda Leonard were hostesses for the Ladies Golf Association meeting Tuesday morning at Sikeston Country Club. Thirty -five women attended a breakfast and played golf.

Winners in the 18 -hole competition were Mickey Atchison, championship class; Jene Waters, A class; Doris Wylie, B class; Marlene Kruger, C class; and Dorothy Jobe, who won first in nine -hole competition.



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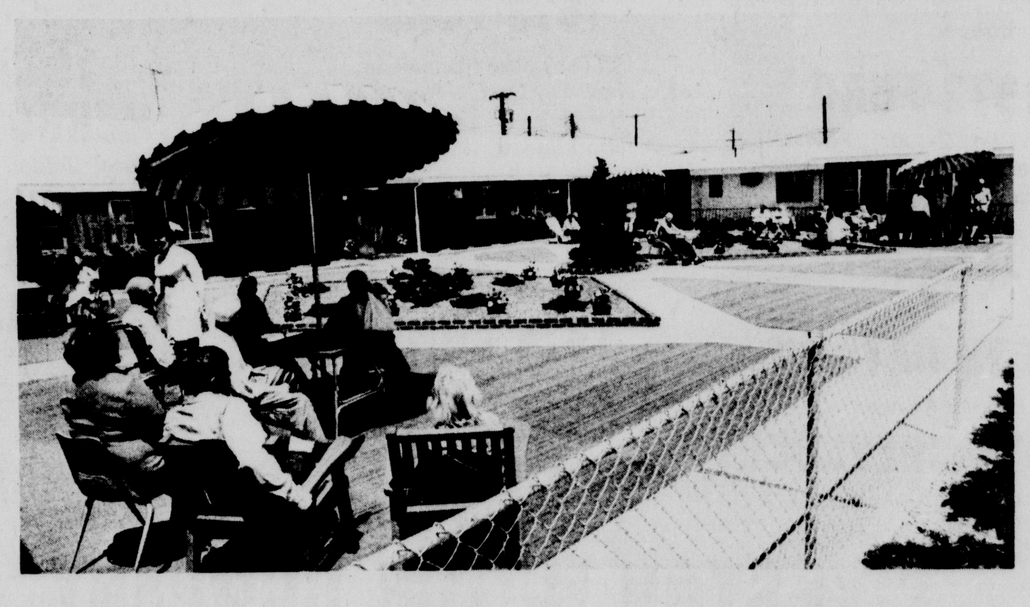
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Judiciary Committee gets first chance at tapes

WASHINGTON (A) — The House Judiciary Committee is getting its first look at the celebrated briefcase full of grand jury evidence relating to President Nixon's role in the Watergate cover-up.

The material, forwarded to the committee for its impeachment inquiry by Judge John J. Sirica of U.S. District Court, has been examined by the chairman, ranking Republican member and chief staff lawyers, but has not been available to committee members until today.

Now, after months of being kept in the dark about it and other evidence gathered by the impeachment staff, the committee will start considering the case for and against Nixon's impeachment.

The opening of the crucial phase of the inquiry will be marked by a round of speeches in public session, after which the committee will go into executive session to consider evidence bearing on the Watergate break-in and cover-up.

Chairman Peter W. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., said Wednesday the closed sessions probably would continue through next week, after which a decision will be made on opening them.

Another decision facing the committee is what to do about Nixon's refusal to give it any more Watergate material. The committee has subpoenaed tapes of 42 presidential conversations dealing with Watergate and has a request pending for 76 more.

At a Democratic caucus Wednesday there was unanimous support for issuing a new subpoena, but divided opinion on when it should be issued and what it should cover.

The most likely course to be followed was suggested by the senior Republican, Rep. Edward Hutchinson of Michigan, at a news conference with Rodino.

Hutchinson said that when gaps appear in the presentation of evidence and Chief Counsel John Doar says they could be filled by material sought from the White House, the committee could decide then whether to request it again.

Hutchinson said that rather than issue a subpoena, he would prefer to negotiate the matter with Nixon's lawyer, James D. St. Clair, who will be in the committee room during the presentation.

But the Democrats and Doar appear to prefer a subpoena. Doar said at the news conference the issuance of a subpoena is the orderly, lawful way to proceed.

"It isn't a question of whether we will issue a subpoena, but when," said Rep. Charles Rangel, D-N.Y.

Rodino said the opening phase of the presentation of evidence will be limited to Watergate, one of six areas of presidential conduct the committee is investigating.

Rodino said it probably will be the end of June before the committee is ready to vote on whether grounds exist for impeachment.

Scott resigns Matthews post

NEW MADRID — Ray Melton, superintendent of New Madrid County R-1 Enlarged School District, today announced the resignation of Joe Scott as administrator of the Matthews unit.

Scott's resignation will be effective Friday so he can immediately become engaged in a farming operation in Pemiscot County in which he has purchased an interest.

He has been unit administrator at Matthews for three years and is also high school principal there.

The Scott family will move to the Hayti area.

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Relaxing on campus

Charles Stamp Jr., left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stamp of 717 Sikes Ave., Sikeston, relaxes on the University of Missouri- Columbia campus with Chancellor Herbert W. Schooling. Stamp has been chosen as one of the marshals who will lead their divisional classmates in the procession to the 132nd annual commencement exercises at 3 p.m. in Hearnes Auditorium.

Sikeston man will be marshal at UMC graduation exercises

COLUMBIA — Charles Stamp Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Stamp of 717 Sikes Ave., Sikeston, will be one of the marshals leading their divisional classmates in the procession for the 132nd annual commencement exercises at University of Missouri- Columbia, according to Chancellor Herbert W. Schooling.

The marshals are chosen from ranking members of their graduating class, based on their scholastic record.

Some 4,200 students will receive degrees during exercises, which are scheduled at 3 p.m. Saturday in Hearnes Auditorium.

Stamp will be one of two marshals leading graduating students from the School of Law.

Stamp, who has been a law clerk for City Attorney Manuel Drumm in Sikeston for the last two summers, will continue in that capacity this summer. He and his wife, the former Judith Anne Long of Cape Girardeau, will live at 518 Park Ave. in Sikeston.

A 1967 graduate of Sikeston High School, he graduated in 1971 from Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau.

While attending the University of Missouri School of Law, Stamp was a member of the Student - Faculty Moot Court Committee. He received the Roscoe Anderson Award for excellence in Junior Case Club competition and was a member of the school's national moot court team.

He is a member of the international legal fraternity of Phi Delta Phi and has received a certificate of merit for his services as exchequer of the Columbia chapter.

The senior student recipient of the Guy A. Thompson Memorial Scholarship, Stamp was elected to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" for the 1973-74 school year.

Ford Motors raises prices on '74 models

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. has raised prices on its 1974-model cars and trucks an average $163, becoming the second auto maker this month to draw the ire of the federal Cost of Living Council.

Council Director John T. Dunlop blasted Wednesday's increase as "unwarranted" and charged it was a violation of the firm's voluntary agreement ast December to limit price ›oosts.

But Ford insisted the hike was needed because of "unprecedented cost increases."

"The company's price increase is totally cost-justified and is consistent with commitments made last December to the Cost of Living Council," said Ford Vice President John B. Naughton.

When the council lifted controls on the auto industry in December, Ford, General Motors and American Motors agreed to limit wholesale price hikes to $150 for the remainder of the model year, barring "unforeseen major economic events."

A council spokesman said Wednesday that GM had notified the council it also plans a new price increase but that details were not available. GM, which has raised wholesale prices an average $301 a vehicle since September, declined to elaborate.

Chrysler, which refused to join the voluntary commitment, boosted prices an average $122 on May 1, also drawing criticism from Dunlop. The increase brought its total increase since September to $416 a vehicle.

American Motors, which has increased prices $234 since September, said Wednesday it had "no intention of raising prices at this time."

Ford's latest price boost, its fourth since September, included $113 (2.4 per cent) on the base sticker price and $50 (1.1 per cent) for optional equipment made standard. Excluding the change for options, Ford has increased prices an average $404 a vehicle since the end of the 1973 model run.

Ford said that even with the latest increase it still is left with unrecovered cost increases averaging $98 a vehicle.

The cost council currently lacks authority to curb prices, but one council source in Washington said the Ford move could affect pending legislation to give the council such authority.

Kissinger, Faisal to discuss American technical aid

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger flew to Saudi Arabia today to talk to King Faisal about American technical aid for the economic development of the desert kingdom and to seek the monarch's support for a disengagement agreement between Syria and Israel.

In an unusually warm welcoming statement, Foreign Minister Omar Saquaf said the Saudi people "cherish nothing but amity and friendliness for the people of the United States." But he added that the American people should know that the Saudis are a religious Moslem people who "will not be swayed."

After seeing Faisal, Kissinger was flying to Cairo to brief President Anwar Sadat on the progress of his negotiations with Syria and Israel.

The secretary is counting on both Faisal and Sadat, as well as Algerian President Houari Boumedienne, to influence the Syrians to settle for only a partial Israeli withdrawal from the Golan Heights.

Meanwhile, both Americans and Israelis reported some progress in Kissinger's talks with the Syrians and Israelis.

It was the first time Israeli sources reported progress in the negotiations to separate the warring forces on the Golan Heights. American officials said a disengagement agreement was "a little more likely." But one American source cautioned that an agreement was "far away."

Kissinger traveled to Damascus on Wednesday with new Israeli proposals and returned to Jerusalem with the Syrian reaction. "The discussions have now reached a very concrete stage," said Israeli Foreign Minister Abba Eban after a three-hour meeting with Kissinger.

An authoritative Israeli source said the Syrians did not completely reject the Israeli proposals. The source said Kissinger brought back a series of comments on th Israeli plan, not a counter proposal.

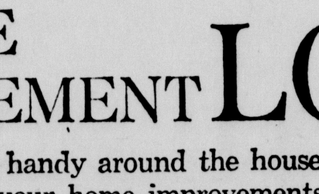
One U.S. official said Kissinger was beginning to detect a "glimmer of understanding" between Syria and Israel.

Israel now is offering to surrender the 300 square miles of Syrian territory taken in the October 1973 fighting; to give up the eastern half of the abandoned town of Kuneitra, half a mile inside the Golan Heights territory seized in the 1967 war, and a Syrian village near a strategic road junction 12 miles to the south, and to relinquish positions on the peaks of Mt. Hermon.

However, Syria would get control only of part of the 300-square-mile parcel; the rest would be included in a United Nations buffer zone between the two armies.

Syrian sources said an agreement was near on composition of the U.N. force to man the buffer zone. Damascus wanted the force made up of unarmed observers while Jerusalem wanted armed troops, like those on the Egyptian front.

Kissinger is scheduled to return to Israel on Friday, and American officials said his diplomatic shuttle would run into next week.



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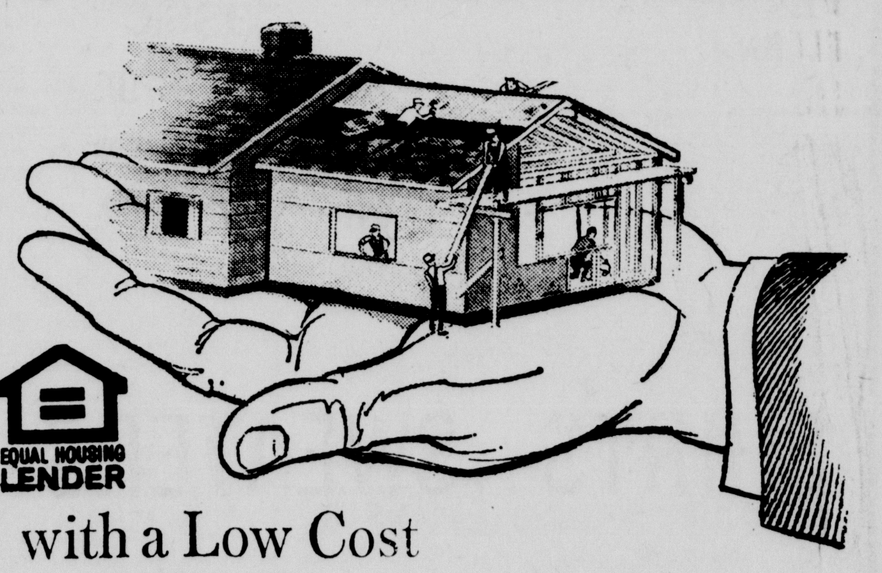
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GOP leader suggests Nixon consider resigning

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Republican Leader John Rhodes said today that President Nixon "ought to consider resignation as a possible option" if it becomes apparent that erosion of public confidence prevents him from effectively discharging his duties.

"I do not feel that we have yet reached that point," Rhodes said.

Rhodes made the comment in a prepared statement issued after a breakfast with a group of newsmen at which he first spelled out his views.

Rhodes also confirmed in the statement that in response to a direct question he had said, "that at this particular time — May 9, 1974 — the President is not having an over-all beneficial effect on the prospects of the Republican party."

But Rhodes said that situation could change tomorrow.

Rhodes also said that, while he is concerned about Republican prospects in the upcoming November elections, "what happens to the party is essentially extraneous to the issue of the President's continuation in office. That is a matter that is being reviewed by the House Judiciary Committee at the present time."

A participant in a breakfast session Rhodes held with a small group of newsmen quoted him as saying a reassessment of Nixon's position should be dictated by the impact of public release of some of his edited Watergate transcripts.

Rhodes said the transcripts are "devastating" and have drawn a heavily unfavorable public response.

Rhodes was quoted as saying he thinks Nixon can remain in office but declared when asked about a possible resignation:

"I don't know but in view of the developments of the last few days there has got to be some soul searching going on. When responsible people read the transcripts and change their position, the President ought to take that under consideration."

Asked if key congressional Republicans might go to Nixon privately and recommend that he resign, Rhodes was quoted as responding, "I know of no definite plan at this time."

The House GOP leader said he did not rule out resignation as an option but had not personally come to the conclusion that Nixon should do so.

He reported that his own mail, largely based on reaction to the transcripts Nixon released last week, was running 10 to 1 against the President.

Asked if he thought Nixon could govern effectively, Rhodes was quoted as saying:

"At the present moment I think he can, but the present situation is volatile."

Any further erosion of support for Nixon, he said, might force a reappraisal.

Rhodes also was quoted as saying:

"I feel that if Nixon comes to the conclusion that he can no longer be effective as President, he will do something about it."



Demon exhibited

Mrs. Bebe Matthews show a demon from her collection of religious art to members of the Lions Club. Mrs. Matthews exhibited part of her collection at the club's noon meeting Wednesday.

(Daily Standard Photo)

Religious art collection shown to Lions Club

Mrs. Bebe Matthews brought part of her collection of religious art from around the world to the Lions Club meeting at noon Wednesday.

The items she brought consisted of devils and demons from many different religions.

Westerners always gloss over the dark side of life, Mrs. Matthews said, but in other parts of the world, this isn't so.

For instance, we often connect snakes with evil and, while other religions do also, they worship the snake. Even Buddha sits on a snake, she said.

While Christians recognize the deveil but don't worship him, people in other religions worship both good and evil spirits, she said.

Many modern psychologists are beginning to recognize that people have what's called duality— good and bad— in them, she said. Each man has a certain amount of female in him, each woman a certain amount of man.

Other religions recognize this, also, and many gods are shown as half male and half female, Mrs. Matthews explained while showing club members statues of half male and half female figures.

In the Asian subcontinent, one of the principal gods is Kali, who represents the dark side of women. Kali symbolizes death and is always represented with a skull or a necklace of human skulls.

People of other religions recognize that humans have both good and bad sides and take that into account in their lives and religions, she said.

Robert Turnbull, 106 Autumn Drive, won a Lions Club sponsored fishing trip in a drawing held at the luncheon.

3 arrests announced

Police today announced the arrest of Larry Gene Mayabb of East Prairie for driving on a suspended license; Dennis Ray White, 101 Powers Drive, indecent exposure; and Archie Mike Dorris, 118 William St., careless and imprudent driving.

Price increases slowdown in April

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sharp declines in farm and food prices slowed the rise in wholesale prices in April to its slowest rate in six months, the government reported today.

The Labor Department said wholesale prices increased seven-tenths of one per cent seasonally adjusted and five-tenths of one per cent unadjusted.

The increase was still high by normal standards but considerably below increases recorded since November.

April's rise compared with adjusted increases of 1.3 per cent in March, 1.2 per cent in February and 3.1 per cent in January.

Despite the slowdown in farm and food prices, there was no hint that the inflationary surge was abating.

Industrial prices, regarded as one of the surest barometers of inflation, jumped an adjusted 2.3 per cent in April. In March industrial prices climbed 2.9 per cent.

Farm products, processed foods and feeds declined for the second consecutive month, dropping an adjusted 3 per cent and an unadjusted 3.7 per cent.

The Agriculture Department predicted Wednesday that food prices would begin to level off during the second half of the year and possibly even decline in the final quarter.

Wholesale prices rose 18.8 per cent in the past 12 months. Changes in wholesale prices usually are reflected later at the retail level.

April's increase lifted the government's wholesale price index to 155.3. That means it cost $155.30 to buy the same volume of wholesale goods that $100 purchased in 1967.

The big rise in industrial prices reflected in part the dropping of price controls from various industries.

Metal products accounted for almost one-third of the total increase. Iron and steel scrap rose 14.7 per cent and steel mill products increased 2.7 per cent.

Price increases by industries freed from price controls appeared to be cracking the Cost of Living Council's heralded anti-inflation commitments for big business unless Congress votes to hold them together.

Ford Motor Co. announced price increases Wednesday averaging $163 for its 1974 autos, and the council said General Motors planned to follow suit.

Wholesale prices for April reflected other increases in a wide variety of materials.

Machinery and equipment rose 1.4 per cent. Lumber products jumped 4.7 per cent and furniture products 1.3 per cent.

Most fuels also jumped in price with the exception of refined petroleum products which declined 1.6 per cent. Coal prices rose 17.1 per cent; coke 16.4 per cent and electric power 3 per cent.

Decreases for grains, livestock, oil seed, live poultry, raw cotton, eggs and milk dropped the index for farm products 5.5 per cent. However, fresh and dried fruits and vegetables went up in price.

The government said the decline in refined petroleum products would not accurately reflect price changes in the marketplace.

Because of this, the Labor Department said, beginning next month pricing data will be collected directly from petroleum companies rather than from spot quotations published in the trade journal which represents a decreasing portion of the fluctuations in domestic markets.

Over the past three months, wholesale prices have increased on an adjusted annual rate of 13.5 per cent. Over the past year, industrial commodity prices have risen 20.7 per cent while farm and food prices advanced 14.7 per cent.

Bernie officer acquitted in rights case

CAPE GIRARDEAU — A federal jury deliberated less than an hour Tuesday in U. S. District Court before acquitting Bernie city policeman David L. Moore on a charge of violating the civil rights of a motorist he had arrested.

Moore, 33, had been charged with the federal misdemeanor in connection with allegations levied by David F. Williamson, 31, last year. Williamson arrested for driving while intoxicated and reportedly refusing to tak chewing gum from his mouth when the officer requested him to submit to a breathalyzer test for intoxication.

Williamson filed a civil rights complaint with the U. S. Department of Justice alleging he had been beaten by Moore. A physician testified during the two-day trial that he had treated Williamson for minor scratches and bruises after a scuffle that occurred at the Bernie police station.

U. S. District Judge Kenneth H. Wagelin presided at the trial.

6 accident injuries treated

Six accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Elizabeth Sikes, 12, Sikeston, cut left hand in fall off unicycle; Woodie Robinson, 49, Matthews, dislocated left ankle while running a horse; Paul Long, 39, Parma, fractured left little finger at work.

Bobby Daniels, 33, New Madrid, bruised right arm in fall; James Sager, 17, Charleston, fractured index finger in fall; and Calvin Hatchett, 18, Sikeston, twisted and strained right ankle.

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ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.	
Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	1 105 717	79	1
U.S. Treasury securities	710 757	00	2
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	2 205 884	44	3
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2 001 898	02	4
Other securities (including $ None corporate stock)	16 500	00	5
Trading account securities	none		6
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	600 000	00	7
Loans	6 577 154	87	8
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	157 667	03	9
Real estate owned other than bank premises	none		10
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"	none		11
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	none		12
Other assets (including $ direct lease financing)	9 979	05	13
TOTAL ASSETS	13 585 558	20	14
LIABILITIES			
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4 020 213	09	15
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	7 066 459	85	16
Deposits of United States Government	21 206	88	17
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1 218 352	21	18
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	none		19
Deposits of commercial banks	3 790	77	20
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	32 482	32	21
TOTAL DEPOSITS $ 12,362,505.12			22
(a) Total demand deposits $ 4,173,408.60			(a)
(b) Total time and savings deposits $ 8,189,096.52			(b)
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	none		23
Liabilities for borrowed money	none		24
Mortgage indebtedness	none		25
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	none		26
Other liabilities	5 150	00	27
TOTAL LIABILITIES	12 367 655	12	28
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES			29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	105 129	98	30
Other reserves on loans	none		31
Reserves on securities	none		32
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	105 129	98	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
Capital notes and debentures	none		34
___% Due _____ $ _____			
___% Due _____ $ _____			
Equity capital-total	1 112 773	10	35
Preferred stock-total par value	none		36
No. shares outstanding none			
Common Stock-total par value	300 000	00	37
No. shares authorized 10,000			
No. shares outstanding 10,000			
Surplus	200 000	00	38
Undivided profits	612 773	10	39
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	none		40
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1 112 773	10	41
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	13 585 558	20	42
MEMORANDA			
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	12 404 928	00	1
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6 397 745	63	2
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	161 763	71	3
Standby letters of credit	none		4

I, William H. Waltrip, Jr., of the above-named bank do
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hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William H. Waltrip

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W. E. Kerr
W. E. Kerr
A. C. Riley
} Directors.

Qulin man gets minor injuries

QULIN — A Qulin man received minor injuries in a one- car accident Wednesday one- mile north of the Oglesville Community on Route N in Butler County.

The accident occurred at 7:20 p.m. when a pickup truck driven by James Brumitt, 65, ran off the road, struck a mailbox and ran into a field.

He was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff for treatment.

Debate proposal off

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, D-Mo., has withdrawn his proposal for a series of three statewide televised debates with Thomas B. Curtis of St. Louis, the man Eagleton considers to be "my likely Republican challenger."

The senator issued a statement Wednesday night which said communications he has received from Curtis have failed to deal directly with the matter of the debates. Rather than continuing "in an interminable exchange of correspondence" that fails to reach an agreement, "each of us will have to go our own separate ways, including planning fund-raising efforts so as to finance a campaign which will include the use of television and radio advertisements."

Curtis, the former veteran congressman who narrowly lost to Eagleton' in 1968, was unaware of Eagleton's action Wednesday night when he spoke at Warrensburg. He said he has sent two letters to Eagleton seeking clarification of the senator's proposals for the debate and has yet to receive a reply.

Curtis said he is willing to debate Eagleton anytime and anyplace, but he felt three televised debates to be insufficient. He also felt they should not be limited to television.

Curtis proposed that the two candidates and their aides meet with members of the news media to draw up position papers that would be topics for various debates.

Meat processors must comply with new regulations

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Members of the Missouri Locker and Meat Processors Association have been advised they have 60 days to comply with new regulations on meat packaging.

William M. Baker, director of the state weights and measures division said the new rules require meat sellers to specify the type of meat by general category plus the net weight of the meat delivered on the invoice provided the purchaser.

"In the past, it was by individual cuts such as T-bone, rounds, and so forth," Baker said. "Now it is categorized as steaks, roasts, ground meats, stewing or boiling beef or others."

Americans will pay more for summer vacations

Americans planning a vacation trip this summer should be prepared to pay more, start planning sooner and keep a careful eye on the gas gauge.

A nationwide Associated Press survey shows that families are not being scared away from planning summer vacations by high gasoline prices and the memory of winter shortages. But tourism officials say the summer vacationer plans to travel a shorter distance to find his spot in the sun and to stay put longer once he gets there.

The sharp increases in the price of food and energy will hit the summer traveler hard.

Some vacation areas report food and beverage prices up 20 per cent over last year, and federal officials foresee an average nationwide price for gasoline of 60 cents a gallon this summer, up from the current average of 54 cents for regular and 58 cents for premium. Some tourist areas predict it could go as high as 70 cents. Motel and hotel prices are also up in most tourist areas, but not significantly.

The overall effect means you'll pay up to 20 per cent more for the same vacation you took last year.

Many tourist areas suffered between a 20 and 40 per cent decline in business during the winter. But by April most reported business nearly normal again, and some expect a record summer.

The AP survey showed that traveling on Sundays could mean risking running out of gasoline this summer. There will be fewer gasoline stations open on Sundays for two reasons: (1) many stations do not need that day to sell their monthly allocation, and (2) some owners have gotten used to having Sundays off and aren't anxious to work. The American Automobile Association said Tuesday a survey showed 39 per cent of the nation's service stations open Sundays.

The AP survey also shows that most tourist areas have increased their advertising budgets and concentrated their messages much closer to home. Cape Cod resorts, for example, are advertising in a 300-mile radius instead of a normal 700 miles.

Major tourist areas such as Cape Cod, the Poconos, the Smoky Mountains, Southern California and the lake areas of Michigan and Wisconsin are running ahead of or even with 1973 on advance bookings. These areas said some persons who stayed only three or four days in the past are now making reservations for two weeks.

The economical traveler can cut costs. The AP survey found that in some areas the smaller motels and hotels had been hardest hit by the energy crisis and are less likely to be booked for the summer.

And special deals are available in most areas to tourists seeking them. Some of these offer extra nights in motels free of charge if tourists stay a certain length of time. Others include free rooms for children under 12 and free tickets to local points of interest. Tourists seeking these deals should check with chambers of commerce, travel agents and tourist bureaus.

The major concern is the availability of gasoline. Most officials say they're cautiously optimistic there will be enough. However, there is at least a possibility there won't.

The Federal Energy Office says the outlook for summer is that gasoline supplies will be 4 to 6 per cent below potential demand - the amount used in normal times. A recent AP survey showed that citizens are returning to their normal driving habits. If that continues the chances of spot gasoline shortages this summer are strong.

The energy office suggests that travelers seeking information on gasoline check with the American Automobile Association or phone ahead to their destination before leaving.

Some tourist areas- the Berkshires in western Massachusetts and Finger Lakes in New York are two- are setting up hotlines to dispense gasoline information. The Berkshires Hills Conference is offering to buy dinner on Monday nights for any service station owner who stays open on Sundays.

"It's going to cost money," said John Geary, director of the group. "But hell, that's better than being out of business."

Nearly every state is pushing itself — "See Kentucky First" is repeated the country over. Preregistration at the 16 resort state parks in Kentucky is up 15 per cent this year. Officials expect the percentage of their business from state residents to increase from 42 to 55 per cent.

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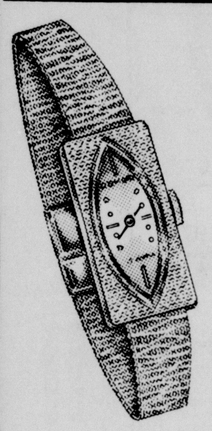
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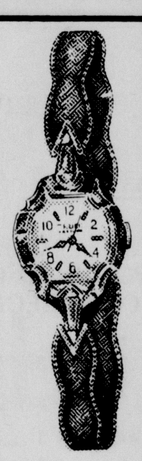
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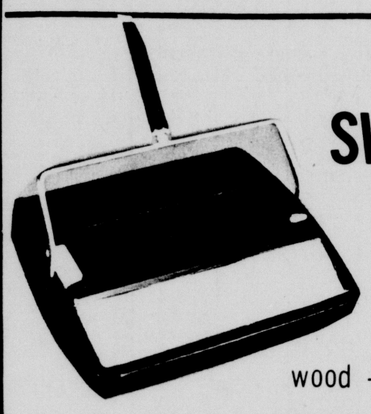


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Committee may produce plan to reduce auto emissions

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — Harvey Shell, the executive secretary of the Missouri Air Conservation Commission, says he will form a committee to produce a plan for reducing auto emissions in the St. Louis area.

Shell said Wednesday night the committee would try to coordinate suggestions from three organizations which he hoped to poll on possible solutions to traffic-related air pollution problems.

The Environmental Protection Agency announced Wednesday that St. Louis was one of several cities which had to come up with a plan by June 1. An EPA official had hinted earlier that the June deadline for the St. Louis area might be extended.

The committee, which would be appointed by Shell, would work from suggestions made by Gateway Council, the East-West Co-Ordinating Council, the Bi-State Development Agency and the Missouri Highway Patrol.

In issuing its announcement, the EPA said that if a plan is not presented by the deadline, the agency will impose its own traffic controls.

Shell, who lives in Columbia, said that whoever imposed the final controls should keep in mind the local residents.

"Their (EPA's) plans before haven't been realistic. They've tried to solve problems which were localized on a regionwide basis, and regionwide problems on a local basis," Shell said.

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Traffic violations head docket

BENTON — Thirty traffic violations headed the docket of cases before Judge Lloyd Briggs Wednesday in Magistrate Court.

Imposition of sentence was deferred until Jan. 8, 1975 against Richard Lee Johns of Oran after he pleaded guilty to a careless and imprudent driving charge.

Thecil Gail Anthony Jr. of Sikeston received a six month suspended jail sentence and was placed on supervised probation for one year after he pleaded guilty to a driving while intoxicated charge.

After pleading guilty to charge of improper registration, Gary Dean Irvin of Sikeston received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was placed on supervised probation for one year.

Fines imposed for speeding included:

James Edward Houston of Sikeston, $105.50; Edward Delene Morgan of Charleston, $27.50; Allen Howard of Sikeston, $31.50; Ross Conner of Cape Girardeau, $41.50; Ronald McAnulty of Marion, Ill., $33.50; Michael Hancock of Jonesboro, Ill., $101.50; Allan Ether Small of Sikeston, $26.50.

James Lambert Drury, $45; James Robert Lane, $17; James Edward West, $15; William Philijaw, $8; Gilbert Williams, $16; Cynthia Ann Arment, $11; Mark Edward Jenkins, $12; George Alcorn, $15; Robert Jones, $15; Ferrel Austin, $11; and Glen Dale Holt, $11.

Fined for other traffic violations were:

Jerry M. Green of St. Louis, permitting unauthorized operator to drive, $40; Ronald Lee Johnson of Sikeston, expired registration $25; Bonnie F. Green of Jackson, no operator license, $5; Michael Leon Simmons of Oran, failure to display certificate of approval and using prohibited plates, $10.

Ricky Michael Washburn of Sikeston, no vehicle license, $25; Alford Griffin Nesler of Bell City, driving without a valid operator license, $50; Lindel Boyde Morris of East Prairie, driving an overlength vehicle, $35; and Robert Lee Brown of Sikeston, improper registration and failure to display a certificate of inspection, $10.

Johnny Wade Guinn of Franklin, Ga., forfeited bond on a careless and imprudent driving charge.

A preliminary hearing for Bradley Paul Dines of Denver, Colo., was set for May 15 on a charge of possessing a roach clip device used for smoking marijuana.

Canalou man elected to Madrid board

CANALOU— Nathaniel Hewitt of Canalou has been elected to the board of directors for Water Supply District No. 4 in New Madrid County.

The water district covers an area from the Delmo colony south of Morehouse to Canalou and the farms between Matthews and Canalou.

Because several of the people who signed contracts when the district was being organized have not hooked up to the system, the board of directors have decided it will be necessary to raise the water rates in order to meet the financial obligations of the district.

The following schedule will go into effect June 1: the first 1,000 gallons, $5; 1,000 to 2,000 gallons, $3.50; 2,000 to 3,000 gallons, $2.50; 3,000 to 4,000 gallons, $1; and any amount over 4,000 gallons 75 cents.

Other board members are David Croom of Sikeston Route Three, president; Donald Hammock of Canalou, treasurer and meter reader; Louise Croom of Sikeston Route Three, clerk; Lee Joe Campbell and Donald Sexton of Canalou; and Bobby King of the Delmo project.

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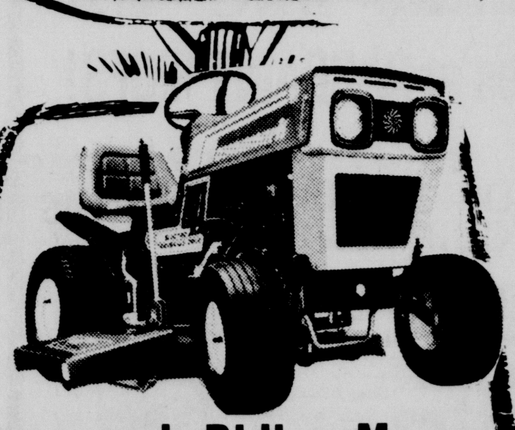
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Jackson stops Eagles, 2-0

BERNIE — The Kelly Hawks, denied a chance at the state basketball championship this season with a one point loss to the eventual state champs in the opening round of the state event, charged into the state baseball playoff bracket behind the no-hit pitching performance of all stater Jeff "Jethro" Jackson Wednesday afternoon and points toward the state title.

Jackson cooled the red hot bats of the Oran Eagles, recording a 2-0 shutout in the district championship game. The big 6-foot-2 athlete walked only two batters and faced 22 during the seven inning contest.

The victory was not easy to come by for the Hawks, who had to rely upon its squeeze play for both runs. Oran played the Hawks tough, allowing a run in the third and fifth innings.

Oran made the finals by posting upset wins over highly favored opponents, but couldn't master the offerings of the KHS ace.

Coach Jim Thornsberry, a former standout at Southeast Missouri State University, relied on his pet play ... the squeeze . to move his team into the regional.

Kelly taged Oran ace Jim Anderson with the defeat. Keith Campbell shared the pitching chories for the Eagles and gave up only a pair of hits.

The Hawks scored in the third as Jamie Burger and Vernon Dirnberger singled, and a walk loaded the bases.

Mike Brasher layed down a bunt to bring home the deciding run. In the fifth, Kenny Urhahn tripled and Brasher repeated his feat with another fine bunt.

Curtis 3-hits Reds

CINCINNATI (AP) — Three former Boston Red Sox players did in the Cincinnati Reds in successive shutouts for the St.Louis Cardinals to sweep the two-game series.

"In spring training, I wouldn't have known either of them if they walked into my office," said Cards Manager Red Schoendienst.

He referred to pitchers Lynn McGlothen, 4-1, who set Cincinnati down with four hits Tuesday night and John Curtis, 2-3, who turned the trick with three hits Wednesday night.

"I know them both now," beamed Schoendienst. "Curtis' control was better, that was a big change. He's got good stuff and if he gets the ball where he wants it he'll win."

Outfielder Reggie Smith, another ex-Red Sox, crashed two hits scoring Lou Brock in the sixth and eighth innings to down Don Gullett, 2-3. He has also been the Reds nemesis for St. Louis which has taken four of five games from the Reds this season and is 11 for 21 at the plate. He has 26 runs batted in and is hitting .375.

All three came to the Cardinals in trades over the winter.

"I knew I wasn't going to start the season bad," said Smith. "When you're happy you plan well and I'm happy just being away from Boston. I always identified with the National League. In Boston there was undo knocking in the media towards me and I wasn't exactly pleased with the guys.

"There were too many immature players who were too busy watching what the other guys did instead of taking care of themselves."

Curtis said he felt in control throughout the game.

"I've been fed up with the early walks and some other bull that I've been doing out on the mound. That's just not me. I just decided to go out there and get with it tonight," he said.

Curtis erased the final 18 men he faced with the help of two double plays turned in by the Cardinals, both involving catcher John Bench who had two Reds hits.

It was the first time the Reds, 1973 Western Division champs, suffered back-to-back shutouts in 142 games.

Reds Manager George "Sparky" Anderson was philosophical about the double loss.

"You run into these things when you're just not hitting. It goes in streaks," he said.

NFL rules-injuries

LOS ANGELES (AP) — New National Football League punt return rules increase the chance of injury, says Dr. Robert Kerlan, noted orthopedic surgeon.

Kerlan is medical director of the National Athletic Health Institute, associate clinical professor or orthopedic surgery at the University of Southern California, and orthopedic consultant for several professional teams, including the Los Angeles Rams of the NFL.

"If the punting team players going down to make the tackle can't leave the line of scrimmage until the ball is in the air, then the receiving team can send in just enough people to make sure the fellow punts," Kerlan said. "They can arrange the rest of their people in a 'picket line,' almost, so that they get tremendous blocking angles on the team comin down to do the tackling.

"The fact that they're going to get more time to produce blockers will undoubtedly mean more injuries in a situation that already has a high injury rate."

He said he doubts increased safety in other areas, such as the rule against the crackback block, will offset increased injuries due to the punt rule.

"There are going to be a lot more punts because they've made the field goal so much more difficult to try or make," he said. "As a doctor, I hope that teams will be kicking out of bounds most of the time."

Outlawing the crackback block increases safety for the linebacker or corner man on the end of the defensive line, Kerlan said.

"Also an improvement is the rule that prevents blocking below the waist at the line of scrimmage, or within three yards of it. This will tend to keep the wide receiver from getting dropped at the line of scrimmage," he said.

Blaylock hitting .366

NOVATO, Calif. — Southeast Missouri's professional baseball players are off and running in the 1974 Minor league campaign as Gary Blaylock of Malden and Steve Coulson of Fisk are off to fine starts in the hitting department, according to The Daily Standards exclusive report from Player Periscope.

Blaylock is 15 for 41 and sporting a hefty .366 batting average for the New York Mets Class A California farm team at Visalia, Calif. Last week Blaylock had 10 hits in 22 times at bat for a .455 batting average for the week.

Coulson is batting .265 for West Haven a New York Yankee farm club in the Eastern AA league. Steve collected 11 hits in 33 at bats for a .333 average last week. He's 13 for 49 on the season.

In the pitching ranks Mark Littell of Gideon and Randy Smith of Arbyrd are off to a fine start in their respective leagues.

Littell has pitched in two games thus far this season for Omaha of the American Association AAA league of the Kansas City Royals and has an 0-1 record with a 2.69 earned run average. He has given up 11 hits and fanned 10 while giving up six bases on balls in 14 innings of pitching.

Smith has a 1-1 record in two starts for Salinas of the California A league for the California Angels. He has pitched 10 innings and allowed nine hits, three bases on balls and struckout three and has an earned run average of 1.80. This past week Randy lost the only game he was involved in allowing six hits and one base on balls.

PITCHING

	G	W	L	IP	H	BB	SO	ERA
Mark Littell, Gideon								
Omaha American ASS. -AAA (Royals)								
Season	2	0	1	14	11	6	10	2.69
Randy Smith, Arbyrd								
Salinas California - A (Angels)								
Season	2	1	1	10	9	3	3	1.80
Week	1	0	1	1	6	1	0	

BATTING

	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	PCT.
Gary Blaylock, Malden Visalia, Calif. California A (Mets)								
Season	41	9	15	3	0	2	4	.366
Week	22	6	10	1	0	1	1	.455
Steve Coulson Fish West Haven Eastern AA (Yanks)								
Season	49	6	13	0	1	1	5	.265
Week	33	5	11	0	1	1	4	.333

Mayberry jumps on Jenkins

Kansas City slugger John Mayberry didn't have to call his own shot Wednesday night against Texas ace Ferguson Jenkins. His manager did it for him.

"Just before John went up to the plate I cautioned him about trying to pull Jenkins' sliders and curves down the line," said Royals' skipper Jack McKeon. "I told him just to aim for the 370-foot sign ... and that is where the ball went."

Mayberry's fifth homer, a two-run shot in the eighth inning, carried over the 370-foot sign in right field and gave the Royals a 4-2 victory over the Rangers, snapping Jenkins' personal five-game win streak and extending the Rangers' losing streak to four.

Elsewhere in the American League, the Boston Red Sox blanked the New York Yankees 4-0; the Oakland Athletics whipped the Baltimore Orioles 7-3; the Cleveland Indians downed the California Angels 32 in 11 innings; and the Chicago-Detroit and Minnesota-Milwaukee games were rained out.

Despite the loss, the Rangers hung on to first place in the West by a half-game over California.

Red Sox 4, Yankees 0

Bill Lee shackled New York on five hits and Carl Yastrzemski contributed a two-run single for Boston. Lee, who evened his record at 3-3, was helped by four double plays. Dick McAuliffe and Dwight Evans drove in the other Red Sox runs with singles.

Athletics 7, Orioles 3

Lefty Vida Blue recorded his first victory after four losses as Oakland snapped a three-game losing streak. Reggie Jackson, Bert Campaneris and Gene Tenace drove in two runs apiece for the A's. Earl Williams clubbed a two-run homer for Baltimore.

Indians 3, Angels 2, 11 innings

Cleveland tied it in the ninth on John Lowenstein's sacrifice fly and won it two innings later when George Hendrick doubled and Ossie Blanco singled him home. The surging Indians have won 10 of their last 12 games and have beaten California six straight times this season. The Angels scored one run while Cleveland was completing a double play and the other on an error by Tribe catcher Dave Duncan.

Wednesday's National League results: Los Angeles 6, Montreal 3; New York 4, San Francisco 2; St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 0; Philadelphia 4, San Diego 0; Houston 8, Pittsburgh 6 in 12 innings; the Atlanta-Chicago game was rained out.

Standings

By The Associated Press

American League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	17	13	.567	—
Cleveland	15	13	.536	1
Baltimore	13	13	.500	2
Detroit	13	13	.500	2
Milwaukee	10	12	.455	3
Boston	12	15	.444	3 1/2
West				
Texas	15	13	.536	—
Chicago	13	12	.520	1/2
California	15	14	.517	1/2
Minnesota	12	12	.500	1
Oakland	13	15	.464	2
Kansas C.	11	14	.440	2 1/2

Wednesday's Results

Chicago at Detroit, ppd., rain

Minnesota at Milwaukee, ppd., rain

Boston 4, New York 0

Kansas City 4, Texas 2

Cleveland 3, California 2, 11 innings

Oakland 7, Baltimore 3

Thursday's Games

New York (Dobson 2-4) at Boston (Tiant 1-4), N

Kansas City (Pattin 0-1) at Texas (Bibby 5-3), N

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Baltimore at Cleveland, N

Boston at Detroit, N

Milwaukee at New York, N

Chicago at Texas, N

Minnesota at Oakland, N

Kansas City at California, N

National League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	16	12	.571	—
Philaphia	14	14	.500	2
Montreal	10	11	.476	2 1/2
Chicago	10	13	.435	3 1/2
New York	11	17	.393	5
Pittsburgh	8	16	.333	6
West				
Los Angeles	19	9	.679	—
Houston	19	11	.633	1
San Fran	16	14	.533	4
Cincinnati	12	13	.480	5 1/2
Atlanta	13	15	.464	6
San Diego	14	17	.452	6 1/2

Wednesday's Results

Atlanta at Chicago, postponed

Philadelphia 4, San Diego 0

St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 0

Los Angeles 6, Montreal 3

New York 4, San Francisco 2

Houston 8, Pittsburgh 6, 12 innings

Thursday's Games

Atlanta (Harrison 2-4) at Chicago (Reuschel 1-1)

Pittsburgh (Rooker 1-2) at Houston (Roberts 5-2), N

Los Angeles (Sutton 4-2) at San Diego (McAndrew 1-3 or Greif 2-4), N

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

New York at Chicago

San Francisco at Atlanta, N

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, N

Houston at Cincinnati, N

St. Louis at Montreal, N

Los Angeles at San Diego, N

Cardinal Box Score

National at Cincinnati

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	4	2	2	0
Tyson 2b	4	0	0	0
rsmith rf	3	0	2	2
Simmons c	3	0	0	0
Torre 1b	4	0	1	0
Reitz 3b	4	0	1	0
McBride cf	3	0	0	0
Alvardo ss	4	0	0	0
Curtis p	3	0	0	0
Total	32	2	6	2
CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	BI
Rose lf	3	0	0	0
Morgan 2b	4	0	0	0
Bench c	3	0	2	0
TPerez 1b	3	0	0	0
Foster cf	3	0	0	0
Concepcn ss	3	0	0	0
Rettenmd rf	3	0	0	0
Kosco 3b	3	0	1	0
Gullett p	2	0	0	0
Borbon p	0	0	0	0
Gagliano ph	1	0	0	0
Total	28	0	3	0

St. Louis	000 001 010—2
Cincinnati	000 000 000—0

DP—St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 1. LOB—St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 2. sB—Brock, R. Smith 2, Torre.

	IP	H	R	ER
Curtis	9	3	0	0
Gullett	7 1-3	6	2	2
Borbon	1 2-3	0	0	0

T—1:57. A—9,864. W—Curtis (2-3). L—Gullett (2-3). BB—Curtis 1, Gullett 3. SO—Curtis 4, Gullett 9.

FOOTBALL

MEMPHIS — Promoter Mike Lynn, who has worked eight years to obtain a National Football League franchise for Memphis, filed suit to block the city from leasing its stadium to a World Football League franchise.

FORT COLLINS, Colo. — The governing board of Colorado State University voted not to renew the contract of Athletic Director Perry Moore. The contract expires June 30.

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Leaders

By The Associated Press

American League

BATTING (65 at bats)—Carew, Min, .402; R.Jackson, Oak, .392.

RUNS—R.Jackson, Oak, 23; G.Nettles, NY, 19; Rivers, Cal, 19; Mayberry, KC, 19; Campaneris, Oak, 19; D.Nelson, Tex, 19.

RUNS BATTED IN—R.Jackson, Oak, 30; G.Nettles, NY, 26.

HITS—Carew, Min, 43; R.Jackson, Oak, 40.

DOUBLES—Rudi, Oak, 12; Healy, KC, 9.

TRIPLES—White, NY, 4; Garcia, Mil, 3; Valentine, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Otis, KC, 3.

HOME RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 11; R.Jackson, Oak, 11; Yastrzemski, Bsn, 6; W.Horton, Det, 6; F.Robinson, Cal, 6; Burroughs, Tex, 6.

STOLEN BASES—Patek, KC, 12; North, Oak, 9.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Hiller, Det, 4-0, 1.000, 0.55 Coleman, Det, 5-1, .833, 3.43 Medich, NY, 5-1, .833, 3.12.

STRIKEOUTS—N.Ryan, Cal, 57; Jenkins, Tex, 48.

National League

BATTING (65 at bats)—R.Smith, StL, .375; Reitz, StL, .370.

RUNS—Brock, StL, 28; Cedeno, Htn, 24; Bonds, SF, 24.

RUNS BATTED IN—R.Smith, StL, 26; Cedeno, Htn, 25.

HITS—R.Smith, StL, 42; Garr, Atl, 41.

DOUBLES—Concepcion, Cin, 11; Rose, Cin, 9; Cedeno, Htn, 9; Garvey, LA, 9.

TRIPLES—A.Oliver, Pgh, 4; Garr, Atl, 3; Geronimo, Cin, 3; Russell, LA, 3; Bonds, SF, 3.

HOME RUNS—Wynn, LA, 8; Aaron, Atl, 7; T.Perez, Cin, 7; Garvey, LA, 7.

STOLEN BASES—Brock, StL, 20; Cedeno, Htn, 15.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Koosman, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 2.39 Messrsmth, LA, 3-0, 1.000, 2.18 Freislbn, SD, 3-0, 1.000, 2.59.

STRIKEOUTS—Seaver, NY, 53; Matlack, NY, 44.

Pro basketball

Pro Basketball Playoffs At A Glance

By The Associated Press

All Series Best-of-7

NBA

Finals

Sunday, April 28

Boston 98, Milwaukee 83

Tuesday, April 30

Milwaukee 105, Boston 96, overtime

Friday, May 3

Boston 95, Milwaukee 83

Sunday, May 5

Milwaukee 97, Boston 89

Tuesday, May 7

Boston 96, Milwaukee 87; Boston leads 3-2.

Friday, May 10

Milwaukee at Boston, N

Sunday, May 12

Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary

ABA

Finals

Tuesday, April 30

New York 89, Utah 85

Saturday, May 4

New York 118, Utah 94

Monday, May 6

New York 103, Utah 100, overtime

Wednesday, May 8

Utah 97, New York 89; New York leads 3-1

Friday, May 10

Utah at New York, N

Saturday, May 11

New York at Utah, N, if necessary

Tuesday, May 14

Utah at New York, N, if necessary

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THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE

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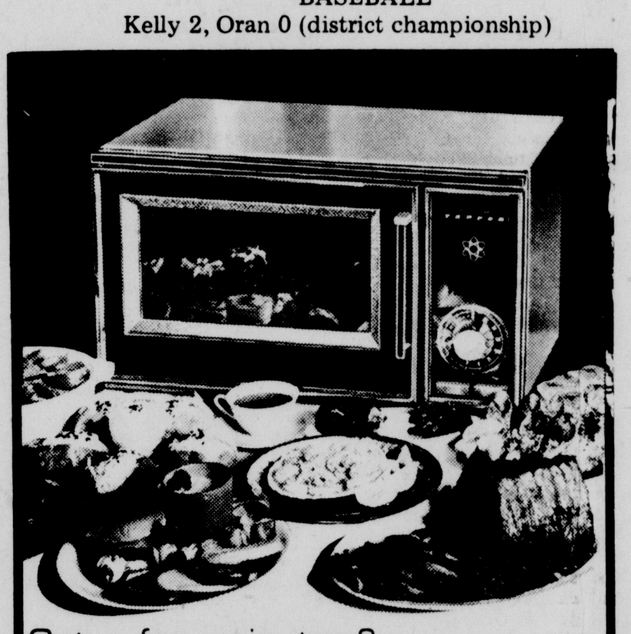
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Sikeston at Cape Central

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

BASEBALL

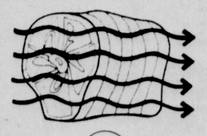
Kelly 2, Oran 0 (district championship)



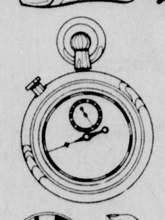
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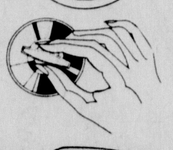
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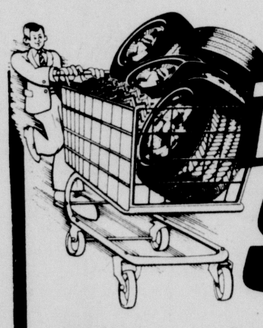
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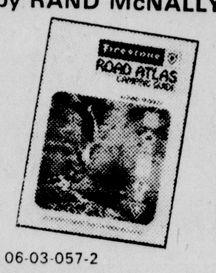
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Miner Baptist 23, Shady Acres 18
Methodist 10, First Baptist 8
Presbyterian 12, Catholic 10
May 2
Catholic 32, Shady Acres 2
Fellowship 9, Methodist 8
Presbyterian 20, Miner Baptist 16
Murray Lane 11, Baptist 6
Standings:
Murray Lane 2-0
Presbyterian 1-0
Methodist 1-0
Miner Baptist 1-0
Catholic 1-1
Fellowship 0-2
Shady Acres 0-2
First Baptist 0-2
Church League Senior Slowpitch Softball Schedule
May 9
Methodist vs Murray Lane
Shady Acres vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Catholic
First Baptist vs Fellowship
May 13
Fellowship vs Miner Baptist
Catholic vs First Baptist
Murray Lane vs Shady Acres
Presbyterian vs First Methodist
May 20
Shady Acres vs Methodist
Murray Lane vs Miner Baptist
First Baptist vs Shady Acres
Fellowship vs Presbyterian
June 6
Catholic vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
First Baptist vs Methodist
Fellowship vs Murray Lane
June 10
Presbyterian vs Miner Baptist
Murray Lane vs First Baptist
Methodist vs Fellowship
Shady Acres vs Catholic
June 13
Shady Acres vs Fellowship
Catholic vs Methodist
Miner Baptist vs Murray Lane
First Baptist vs Presbyterian
June 17
Murray Lane vs Methodist
Fellowship vs First Baptist
Presbyterian vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Miner Baptist
June 21
Miner Baptist vs Fellowship
Methodist vs Presbyterian
First Baptist vs Catholic
Shady Acres vs Murray Lane
June 24
Methodist vs Shady Acres
Presbyterian vs Murray Lane
First Baptist vs Miner Baptist
Fellowship vs Catholic
July 1
Murray Lane vs Catholic
Miner Baptist vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Fellowship
Shady Acres vs First Baptist
Junior Team Schedule
May 14
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Miner Baptist
Presbyterian vs Methodist
Catholic vs Shady Acres
May 16
Wesley Bertrand vs Presbyterian
Shady Acres vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Miner Baptist vs Catholic
May 21
Catholic vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Shady Acres
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Wesley Bertrand
May 23
Shady Acres vs Wesley Bertrand
Presbyterian vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Methodist vs Miner Baptist
May 28
Wesley Bertrand vs Methodist
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
June 4
Methodist vs Shady Acres
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Presbyterian
June 6
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Miner Baptist
Wesley Bertrand vs Catholic
June 11
Shady Acres vs Catholic
Methodist vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
June 18
Presbyterian vs Wesley Bertrand
Catholic vs Miner Baptist
Murray Lane vs Shady Acres
June 25
Methodist vs Catholic
Wesley Bertrand vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Shady Acres vs Presbyterian
June 28
Wesley Bertrand vs Shady Acres
Murray Lane First Baptist vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Methodist
July 2
Methodist vs Wesley Bertrand
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Catholic
Shady Lane vs Miner Baptist

Trouble mounts at Memphis

MEMPHIS (AP) — A suit was filed Wednesday in an attempt to keep the World Football League's premier franchise out of Memphis and preserve the city's chances for a National Football League expansion team.

The suit by promoter Mike Lynn asks Chancery Court to prevent the city from leasing 50,000-seat Memorial Stadium to the WFL franchise that principal owner John Bassett Jr. plans to move from Toronto to Memphis—featuring Miami Dolphins stars Larry Csonka, Jim Kiick and Paul Warfield— in the 1975 season.

Lynn, who had mounted an eight-year campaign to obtain an NFL team for Memphis, claims the city Park Commission exceeded its authority in voting on Monday to lease the stadium to Bassett. A hearing on the suit was set for next Thursday. Memphis has been one of four cities under consideration for an NFL expansion team, but NFL partisans say the commission's lease decision dashed their hopes for a franchise.

Bassett, a Toronto businessman, went ahead Wednesday afternoon and signed the five-year lease, starting with the WFL season opening July 10, but it still lacks the signatures of the park commissioners. Their attorney, Thomas Prewitt, has signed but said he advised the commissioners not to sign until after the court hearing.

Despite the absence of the commissioners' signatures, Bassett's Memphis attorney, J. Alan Hanover, said the lease is a legally binding agreement.

He said of Lynn's suit, "Personally, I'm embarrassed for the city of Memphis."

Hanover said Bassett had deposited with the commission Wednesday a $75,000 check as a guarantee on the lease.

Bassett wants to field his team in Memphis because of a threat by the Canadian government to keep it from playing in Toronto and competing with the Canadian Football League.

Lynn's suit maintains that the commission, in granting the WFL team perference on playing dates in the stadium, had approved an agreement giving exclusive control on the stadium, effectively denying all other prefessional teams stadium use.

Bassett said he sympathized with NFL supporters who had obtained 33,000 binding agreements for season ticket purchases if the NFL located in Memphis, but hoped for a warm reception for his own team.

Of the suit, he said, "If they run us out of town, I guess they'll run us out of town."

BATTING—Reggie Smith, Cardinals, drove in St. Louis' only runs with a pair of doubles in a 2-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

Forwards hold key in playoffs

BOSTON (AP) — The forwards hold the key for Milwaukee success in its win-or-else National Basketball Association showdown here Friday night, Bucks Coach Larry Costello said Wednesday.

The Bucks, 96-87 losers to the Boston Celtics in Milwaukee Tuesday, trail 3-2 in the best-of-seven NBA championship series. The Celtics would clinch the title by winning Friday, but a Bucks' victory would send the series back to Milwaukee for a seventh game Sunday.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Bucks' 7-foot-2 center, poured in a series-high 37 points Tuesday, but forwards Bob Dandridge and Cornell Warner added only 10 and two, respectively.

"That's where we have the big, big advantage in the matchups," Costello said. "Not Jo-Jo (White) on (Mickey) Davis. Not the other matchups. Right there, in the middle."

The Bucks' practice Wednesday emphasized passing to Abdul-Jabbar and getting the forwards more involved in the offense.

Costello said it is too late to radically change tactics, either on offense or defense.

"What we have to do is hope for good performances from key people," he said. "There is no doubt in my mind that if we run the stuff we talk about, we can win."

"There is no way, no way they can stop that stuff if we get movement and execute," he said. "It's that basic. It's amazing we've done as well as we have, not getting the things done that we should have."

"We've got to get a lot from Dandridge because he's more involved than others," he said.

"We've never pressed like this before. It's phenomenal," Celtics' center Dave Cowens said. "Most of the time during the regular season we played a bother press. But this is a different ball game now."

Boston mainstays Don Chaney and Don Nelson suffered a pulled muscle and torn toenail, respectively, Tuesday, but both are expected to be at or near peak condition Friday.

Bucks' guard Jon McGlocklin aggravated his week-old calf injury and did not practice Wednesday.

"I don't know about Jon," Costello said. "If he can't play, we'll have to use Davis more or get Ron Williams back there."

Although visiting teams have won three of the five games in the series, the Celtics are determined to end it on their home court Friday.

"Now it boils down to who wants the title more," Havlicek said. "Let me just say that none of us wants to come back to Milwaukee."

Kelso beats Scott City

KELSO — Ron Kirby fashioned a four hitter, but his eight walks came back to haunt him as Kelso recorded a 5-1 victory over Scott City Wednesday night in Southeast Missouri Softball League action.

Kirby fanned eight Kelso batters, but the free pass led to three Kelso runs despite the outstanding hitting performance of Ken Dohogne, who had three off Scott City's eight hits.

Charlie Schwartz collected the victory, allowing eight safeties, fanning five and walking two during the seven inning contest.

The victory evened Kelso's record at 1-1 and sends them against Vanduser in their next contest.

SPORTS

TENNIS

DALLAS — Defending titlist Stan Smith ousted Rod Laver and aggressive John Newcombe defeated Tom Okker to enter the semifinal round of the $100,000 World Championship of Tennis.

HOCKEY

EDMONTON, Alta. — The Edmonton Oilers announced the signings of goaltender Jacques Plante and defensemen Barry Long and Ray McKay to World Hockey Association contracts. The 45-year-old Plante, who retired after the 1972-73 season, will make a comeback as player.

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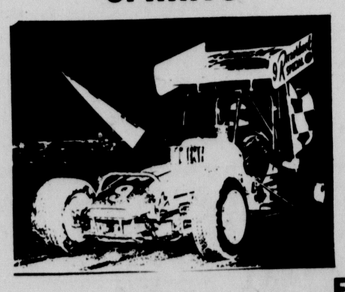
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Looking Back

Students awarded prizes in city poster contest

50 years ago
May 9, 1924

C. O. Scott has opened a barber shop in the Russell Bros. oil implement office and has three chairs. He knows his business and has engaged competent barbers to assist him.

The Russell Brothers have gotten all their large stock of farm implements moved to their new quarters on Ranney avenue and the Missouri Pacific Railway.

Morehouse-- William Marvin Griffin spent Sunday in Dexter visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cook are parents of a son born to them Saturday, May 3.

40 years ago
May 9, 1934

Malone Theatre, today, "Coming Out Party" with Frances Dee, Gene Raymond, Alison Skipworth, Nigel Bruce, and Harry Green.

Six members of the L. A. W. Class of the Christian Church honored R. A. McCord with a birthday party Friday at the church. Guests included women of the class, their husbands, and the Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Talbert of Cape Girardeau.

Frank Dye of Sikeston was re- elected president of the Scott County Rural Mail Carrier's Association at an annual meeting of carriers and an auxiliary held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. O'Neal in Illmo.

Charles F. Mullet, an assistant professor of history at the University of Missouri, spoke Thursday to sophomores, juniors, and seniors, at the high school auditorium.

30 years ago
May 9, 1944

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornell and children of Paducah, Ky., visited with Mrs. Cornell's grandmother, Mrs. Bettie Matthews, Sunday en route to their home from Poplar Bluff, where they had spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corrigan, parents of Mrs. Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holderby have purchased the W. Q. Tanner property on Sikes and after extensive remodeling and redecoration, will occupy it as their home.

Mrs. Lucile Alexander, formerly of Jefferson City, has accepted the position as bookkeeper at Garner- Dement Motor Co. She and her daughter, Judy, are residing with her mother, Mrs. Edith Spidell, 622 Matthews.

Pvt. and Mrs. Maurice Righter are parents of their first child, a son born April 26 at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. He has been named Louis Dean. Pvt. Righter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Righter of Sikeston, and is stationed at Jefferson Barracks.

20 years ago
May 9, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Clark of Route 4, Sikeston, are parents of a baby girl born at the Delta Community Hospital on the seventh. She has been given the name of Joy Lee. This is the first child. Her mother is the former Miss Mary Lee Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey, Sikeston, are parents of a daughter born on the seventh.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoxworth, former residents of Morley, are parents of a daughter, Brenda Lee, born April 22 at Marion, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Chandler of Portageville are parents of a daughter born Saturday.

A daughter was also born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brasher of Oran.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kitchen of Morehouse are parents of a daughter Saturday.

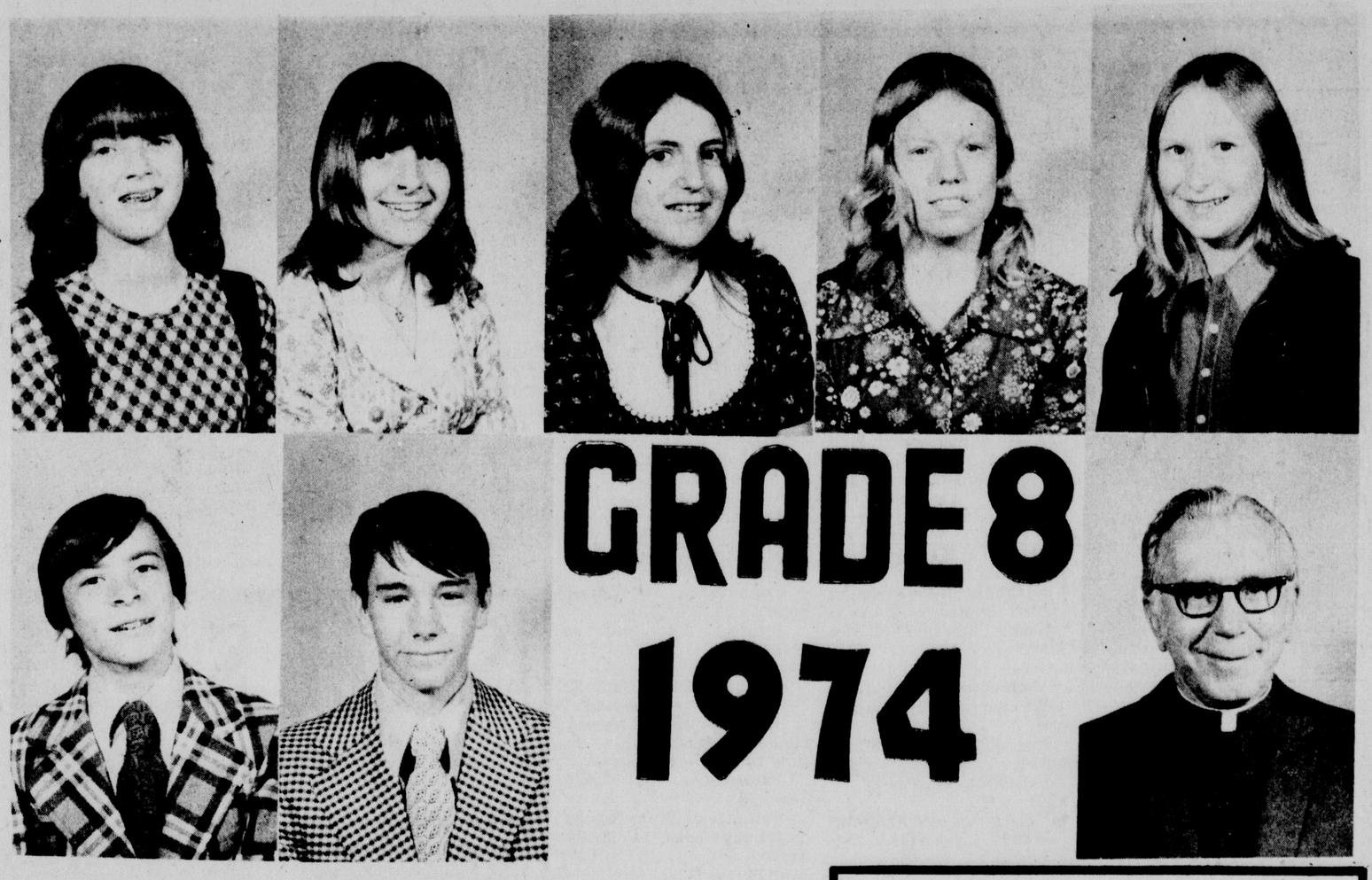
A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Opal Kidd of Vanduser.

More than 100 posters were displayed in the Chamber of Commerce offices Monday when Mrs. Robert S. Matthews and Mrs. Kelsey Short arrived to judge the efforts of the school children in the poster contest that was part of the Clean- Up- Fix- Up and Paint- Up campaign now under way in Sikeston. Three prizes were offered in each of the four divisions and the winners were as follows: High School: Linda French, Martha Baker, and Rosemarie Johnson; Upper Grade: Terry Reed, Kay Standley, and Evelyn Barnes; Intermediate: Glenda Dusmuke, Maida Seymour, and Marian Seabaugh; and Primary: Pamela Conn, Betsey Henley, and Roger Stour.

Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Marks are parents of a daughter born Monday at the local hospital.

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Benthal of Lilbourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Roberts of Shelley, Idaho are parents of a son born Tuesday, April 27.



Immaculate Conception graduates

Eighth grade graduates of Immaculate Conception Catholic School at New Madrid for 1974, top row, from left, are Leann Hunter, Dana Lynn Hendricks, Lynette Porter, Linda Phillips and Shirley Lynn Young; bottom row, Steven Hatley, Lee Andrew Hunter and the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, parish priest. The graduates will be guests of the seventh grade at a dinner at 5:30 p.m. on May 21, and graduation will be on May 22 at a 10 a.m. mass.

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THE NOW SOUNDS
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What's the law?

The case of the creamed salesman

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Wilbur started out a winner and ended up a loser. Having won a free weekend as a prize for being the top salesman for a dairy company, he got "creamed" by another vehicle as he was driving to his reward. Wrapped- up pretty good in the collision, he was forced to spend a considerable period of time in the hospital and away from his job. And, his ill- fortune didn't end there. When Wilbur applied for a workman's compensation award, he was turned down colder than a package of frozen blintzes.

"We're sorry," he was told, "but you were injured while on vacation. And anybody knows that a person can't collect workman's compensation for injuries received while on a pleasure trip."

"Some pleasure trip!" responded Wilbur. "I almost got killed. What's more, the only reason I went was because the company paid me to go. Having been so generous, it has no right now to be so miserly. Without question, I'm entitled to an award."

When it wasn't forthcoming, Wilbur took his claim to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the dairy salesman to collect compensation for having been creamed?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that the prize awarded to Wilbur was an outgrowth of his company's sales program. The prize was sponsored by the company, paid for by the company and was for the benefit of the company. Consequently, concluded the judge, Wilbur's injuries arose out of and in the course of his employment so as to entitle him to workman's compensation.

(Based upon a 1962 Ohio Court of Appeals Decision)



DR LAWRENCE E. LAMB

Low blood pressure

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I notice you write often about high blood pressure, but no information on low blood pressure. My blood pressure is 118/60. I'm 61 years old, five-five, and weigh 91 pounds. Isn't that pretty low pressure?

I have peptic ulcers and take Soma compounds, Donnatol and Titralac antacid four times a day.

Isn't there something I should be taking for low blood pressure? I'm getting dizzy spells for some reason and thought the pressure might be the cause.

DEAR READER — That is not an unusal pressure for a small woman like you. The important question is, what is causing your dizziness? There are many causes for dizziness, and it is true that inadquate circulation to the brain is one. It is also true that medicines can be a cause. First on my list of causes for your problem is the Soma compound you are taking.

Soma is a good medicine. It will relax muscle spasms and is commonly used for patients with your problems. However, rarely it will cause dizziness. You may well be one of the rare individuals in whom this occurs. You should go see your doctor, and I would suggest that the first thing to try would be to stop the Soma compound. If it doesn't correct the problem, he will want to check other possibilities for dizziness.

For those few individuals who have dizziness related to low blood pressure, some pressure stockings are helpful. The elastic-like pressure helps to prevent too much blood accumulating in the legs and in this way helps maintain good circulation to the brain.

Before you get too worried about your blood pressure, I must tell you my pressure is commonly lower than yours. Some people claim I'm dizzy, but I haven't felt any dizzy spells yet.

Send your questions to Dr. Lamb, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. For a copy of Dr. Lamb's booklet on balanced diet, send 50 cents to the same address and ask for "Balanced Diet" booklet.

Prayer for today
from the Upper Room

"Peter opened his mouth and said: 'Truly I perceive that God shows no partiality, but in every nation any one who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him." (Act. 10:34-35)



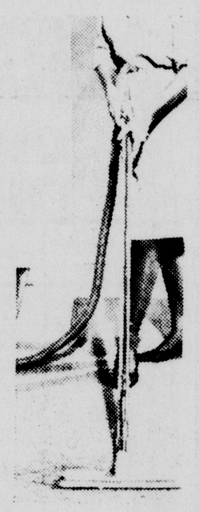
The door won't be open on hot days any more--Grant's tomb is air-conditioned!

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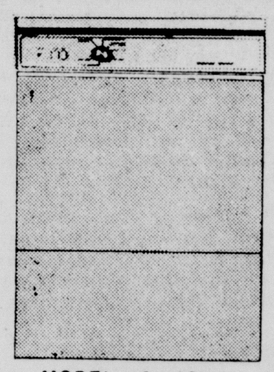
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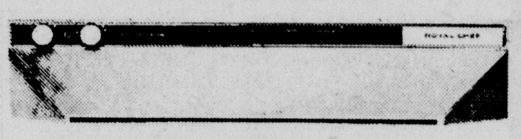


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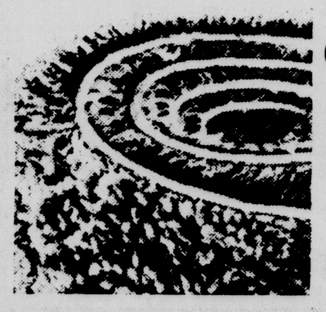


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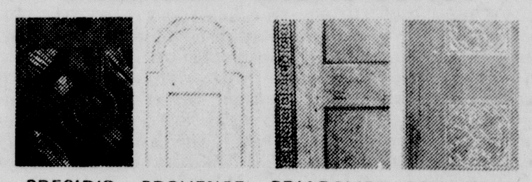


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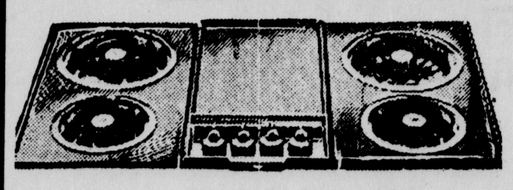
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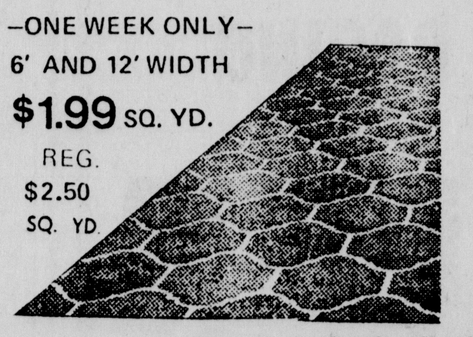


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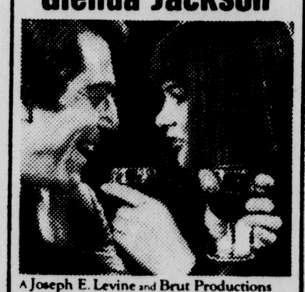
MALCO TWIN 1
MID-TOWNER CENTER
FEATURE 7:00
A JOHN BOORMAN FILM
ZARDOZ
PANAVISION PRINTS BY DE LUXE
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20th CENTURY FOX

MALCO TWIN 2
471-8420
FEATURE 7:30
One Beautiful Man. His story is true.
JON VOIGHT IS "CONRACK"
PANAVISION COLOR BY DE LUXE
PG
20th CENTURY FOX

MALONE
107 W MALONE 471-4390
STARTS TONIGHT!
"Lassie Come Home" FEATURE 7 PM (G)
FEAT. 7:30
AND
"KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE"
FEAT. 8:45 (G)

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7:30
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OUT OUR WAY — by Neg Cochran



CARNIVAL — by Dick Turner



"This? Oh, this is for you people to put tips in when I eat something I don't like!"

SIDE GLANCES — by Gill Fox



"Don't worry about the suntan lotion, Miss Peters. I'll slip it into my expense account under 'public relations'!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

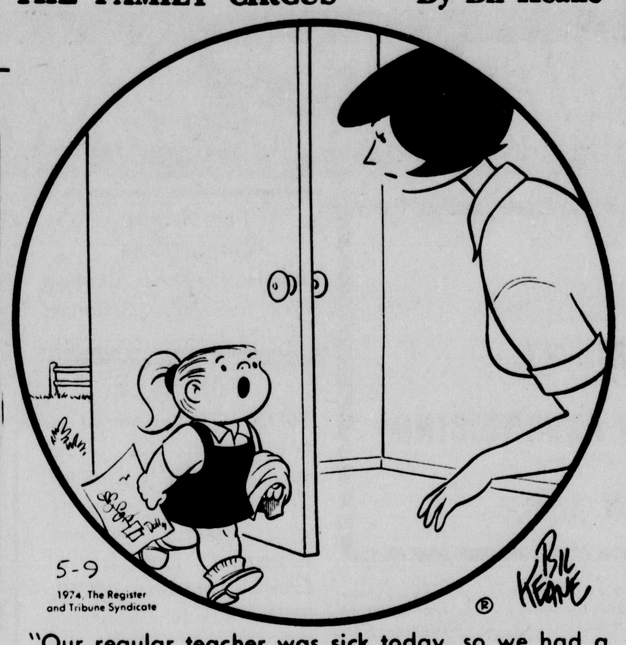
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2	Don't	32	From	62	A
3	Throw	33	Luck	63	Do
4	Opportunity	34	To	64	Opposite
5	Your	35	Advertising	65	Dealings
6	Keep	36	Try	66	Love
7	Be	37	You	67	Circle
8	Make	38	Entertain	68	Affair
9	Weather	39	Someone	69	Moves
10	Unusual	40	A	70	Them
11	People	41	Gentle	71	Friends
12	Special	42	You	72	Distance
13	For	43	Worry	73	Sex
14	Like	44	In	74	Likely
15	Mind's	45	Off	75	Could
16	A	46	Making	76	Land
17	Develops	47	Oldtime	77	On
18	Depend	48	To	78	And
19	Patient	49	At	79	Of
20	Change	50	Go-between	80	Good
21	Free	51	Can	81	Coveted
22	Good	52	With	82	It
23	Effort	53	Eat	83	Rest
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25	You	55	A	85	Rocks
26	Keen	56	To	86	Friends
27	Party	57	Enlarge	87	Well
28	Through	58	Financial	88	Start
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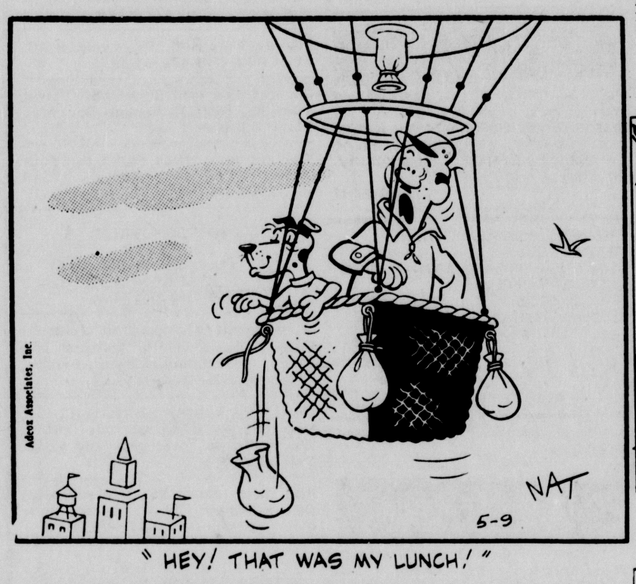
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SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 11-14-25-36 / 48-59-70
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CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 55-66-68-75 / 76-77-84-85
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 6-21-32-43 / 53-78-83-87
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 7-19-30-41 / 52-64-73

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THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"Our regular teacher was sick today, so we had a sitter."



"HEY! THAT WAS MY LUNCH!"



Canada

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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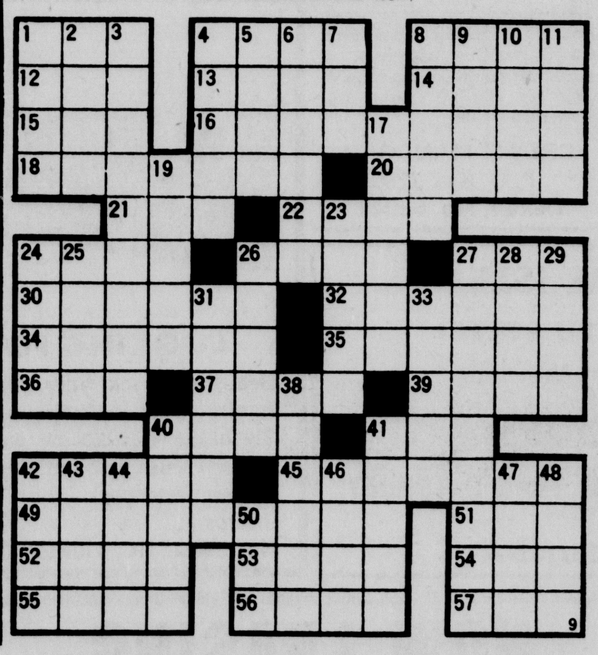
ACROSS

1 Canadian province (ab.)
4 Canada exports many ——
8 It ——s in world production of nickel
12 GI's address (ab.)
13 Arrow poison
14 Therefore (Latin)
15 It has many —— plants
16 Central American republic
18 Art admirer
20 Property item
21 Pronoun
22 Palm fruit
24 Pulls along
26 Feminine nickname
27 Persian gateway
30 Zoroastrian sacred books
32 Breed of sheep
34 Sees again
35 Expunges
36 School subject
37 Small food fish
39 Facts
40 Let it stand
41 Metal fastener
42 Savor
45 City in Ontario
49 Alluvial land
51 Canton in Switzerland
52 Sora
53 Inspires with reverence
54 Feminine nickname
55 French verb
56 Light browns
57 Kind of bean

DOWN

1 Magistrate's staff
2 Wallabas
3 Canada's —— Territory
4 More pulverized
5 Distinct part
6 Move back
7 St. Lawrence ——way
8 Rental contract
9 Units of energy
10 Malarial fever
11 Love to excess (var.)
17 Rodent-catching dog
19 German state
23 Medieval helmet
24 Ancient Irish capital
25 Above
26 Canadian peninsula
27 Cancels
28 The dill
29 Girl's name
31 Bed canopy
33 Television's forerunner
38 Capital of Canada
40 Greek gravestone
41 Iron
42 Car accessory
43 Anatomy (ab.)
44 Mix
46 Boy's name
47 Singing group
48 Unctuous
50 Large tub

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN)



THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod



Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, May 9, the 129th day of 1974. There are 236 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1936, Italy annexed Ethiopia, and King Victor Emmanuel was proclaimed emperor.

On this date—

In 1502, Christopher Columbus set out from Cadiz, Spain on his fourth and last voyage to the new world.

In 1754, the first newspaper cartoon in America was published by Benjamin Franklin in his Pennsylvania Gazette.

In 1926, U.S. Navy commander Richard E. Byrd and Floyd Bennett became the first men to make an airplane flight over the North Pole.

In 1944, during the second World War, the Soviets recaptured the Black Sea naval base of Sevastipol.

In 1957, President Ngo Dinh Diem of South Vietnam addressed a joint session of the U.S. Congress during a visit to Washington.

In 1963, an agreement was reached to halt racial violence in Birmingham, Ala.

Ten years ago: In Cairo, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev told thousands of cheering Egyptians he was making his first visit to Africa to aid what he called the struggles for peace and liberation.

Five years ago: The Roman Catholic Church dropped 200 saints from the liturgical calendar as part of the reforms urged by the second Vatican Council.

Today's birthdays: Former Agriculture Secretary Orville Freeman is 53 years old. The activist Catholic priest, Daniel Berrigan, is 53. Singer Hank Snow is 60.

Thought for today: Not life, but a good life, is to be chiefly valued — Socrates, Greek philospher, about 470-399 B.C.

They'll Do It Every Time





STEVE CANYON by Milton Canniff



CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence



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MARY WORTH by Saunders and Ernst



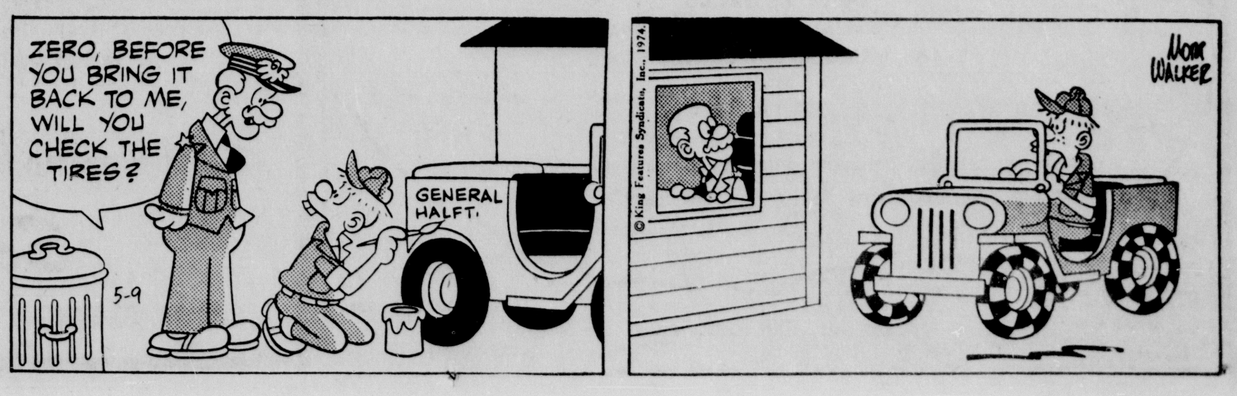
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STRIKING silhouette was captured on film when an amateur photo buff saw this lass quenching her thirst in a way some may consider most unladylike. Regardless, what else can a thirsty girl do without a glass?

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MISSISSIPPI COUNTY
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Charleston, Mo.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)

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ss.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI at Benton, Missouri
In the estate of)
RUTH MALONE)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4245

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Ruth Malone, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 15th day of June, 1974 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Attorney: Kenneth L. Dement, 310 West North, Sikeston, Missouri. Telephone Number 314 471-1833

Executors:
Daniel E. Malone, 501 Hunter, Sikeston, Mo. Telephone Number: 314 471-2897 and W. B. Malone, Jr. 2917 W. Rollins, Apt. 10C, Columbia, Mo.
60, 66, 72, 78

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Robert E. Rodgers and Patricia A. Rodgers, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 28 day of March, 1972, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 180, Page 57, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

The East 70 feet of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Five (5) of McPheeters Addition, Benton, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on June 4, 1974, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams, Trustee
60, 66, 72, 78

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2. Card of Thanks

The family of Melvin Latham wish to extend our deepest appreciation and thanks to everyone for the kindness shown us during our time of bereavement.

We wish to extend a special thanks to the Cline's Island Baptist Church and to the Old Bethel Baptist Church. Special thanks, also to Bro. Joe Skinner for the wonderful service and for the deep concern and sympathy he has shown us. Special thanks to the Bethelaires for their beautiful singing and to the Bill O'Guinn Funeral Home for their wonderful services and concern. Also to all the wonderful neighbors and friends who brought in food. Thank you for the beautiful flowers, your words of sympathy, and your prayers. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

Mrs. Maude Latham and Family

4. Notices

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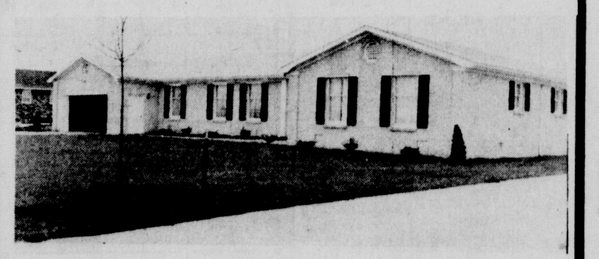
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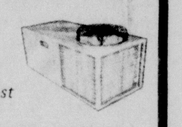
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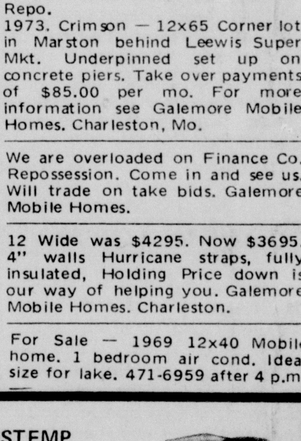


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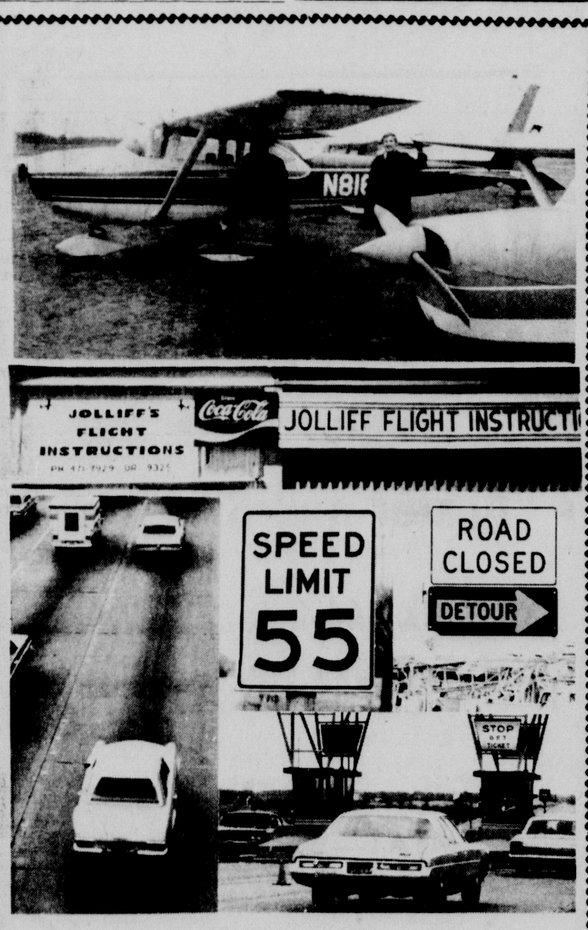
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Deaths

ALLEN J. DAVIS

BENTON — Pallbearers at services Wednesday for Allen J. Davis, 65, who died Monday, were Floyd Dover, Johnny Greer, Buddy Vanover, Bill McCann, Jim Terrell and Tom Poole.

His widow, the former Wanda Mae German, was omitted from the list of survivors in Tuesday's edition of The Daily Standard.

ANDREW J. SMITH

DUDLEY — Andrew Jackson Smith, 79, a retired farmer, died Wednesday at Dexter.

He was born April 6, 1895 at Dudley to the late Joda and Rosie Williams Smith and had lived in the Dudley and Puxico area all his life.

He was a member of Corinth General Baptist Church near Puxico.

On Nov. 2, 1914, he married Nancy Shelby, who died Nov. 5, 1969.

Surviving are three sons, Leo, Woodrow and Hansel Smith of St. Louis; three daughters, Mrs. Freda Rankin and Mrs. Norman D. Martin of St. Louis and Mrs. Berniece Harty of Puxico; two sisters, Mrs. Rachael Ham of Puxico and Mrs. Bertie Thorne of Dexter; and 17 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Watkins and Sons Funeral Home at Puxico.

Burial was in Puxico Cemetery.

HAZZIE MEATHEANY

EAST PRAIRIE — Hazzie Meatheany, 80, of 507 Tyler St., died Thursday at his home.

Born Oct. 22, 1893 in Martin, Tenn., to the late Mr. and Mrs. Addie Meatheany, he had lived in East Prairie for 15 years and was a member of the Church of Christ.

On Aug. 26, 1917, he married Sarah Haines, who died March 16, 1971.

Surviving are three sons, A. J. Meatheany of Rosemont, Ill., Jim Meatheany of Benton, Ark., and Doyle Meatheany of O'Fallon; five daughters, Mrs. Hazel Pope of Fruitport, Mich., Mrs. Opal McCormick of Campbell, Mrs. Lillian Redden of Neelyville, Miss Helen Meatheany and Mrs. Roberta Freed of O'Fallon; one brother, Luther Meatheany of Murray, Ky.; and 22 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at Shelby Funeral Home, where serivces are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Elva Archie, pastor of Barnes Ridge Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

RUBY JEWEL METCALF

SPRINGFIELD — Mrs. Ruby Jewel Metcalf, 55, formerly of the Morehouse area, died at 5:17 p.m. Tuesday in Cox Medical Center.

She had lived at Springfield for four years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Doris Roberts of St. Louis and Mrs. Virginia Sauer of Springfield; a brother, Eugene Oliver of Edgemont, Ill.; a sister, Ambia Smith of Edgemont, and three grandchildren.

The body is being taken to Hoffmeister Funeral Home in St. Louis for services and burial in Mount Hope Cemetery.

WALTER HARRISON

CLARKTON--- Walter Harrison, 79, a retired farmer, was dead on arrival at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett following an apparent heart attack at his home.

He was born Nov. 18, 1894 in Oraville, Ill., to the late George B. and Lucinda Sorrells Harrison and had lived in the Clarkton area since 1914.

On June 11, 1916, he married Lena Mae Ray, who died Oct. 12, 1972.

He was a member of the Clarkton Methodist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Miller of Battle Creek, Mich., Norma Lou Battles of Festus, Mrs. June Battles of Rensselaer, Ind., and Mrs. Eva Mae Currens of Buckeye, Ariz.; four sons, Winfred and Robert David Harrison of Clarkton, George William Harrison of Green Bay, Wis., and Farris Harrison of Payson, Ariz.; two sisters, Mrs. Delia Stuart of Clarkton and Mrs. Sylvia Lindsey of Poplar Bluff; and 30 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Landess Funeral Home in Malden, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Rev. T. K. Prentice of Malden officiating.

Burial will be in Stanfield Cemetery at Clarkton.

CLYDE O. NEWCUM

CHARLESTON — Clyde Oscar Newcum, 80, a retired farmer, died at 12:25 p.m. Wednesday in the Host House following an illness of four months.

Born March 13, 1894 in the Thompson Bend community to the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Newcum, he had lived in Mississippi County his entire life and was a member of St. Henry's Catholic Church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Rolwing of Charleston Route Two and Mrs. Leta Hunt of Charleston.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Friday at McMikle Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Henry's Catholic Church with Msgr. Charles P. Schmitt and the Rev. Michael Swalina officiating.

Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

Members of St. Henry's parish family will assemble at 8 p.m. Friday in the McMikel chapel for scripture reading and prayer.

JOSEPH A. ENGRAM

VANDUSER — Joseph Allen Engram, 48, a prominent Route One farmer, died at 4 a.m. today in his home following an apparent heart attack.

Born May 24, 1925 at Canalou, he was the son of the Fannie Westerfield Barnes and the late Allen Engram.

He was a member of the Vanduser Church of Christ and Lakeville Lodge No. 489 AF & AM and had been a resident of Vanduser since 1940.

Surviving are his stepfather, Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser; one daughter, Linda Lou Engram of Vanduser; two brothers, John Engram of Vanduser and Harley Barnes Jr. of Sikeston; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ida Westerfield of Morley.

Friends may call after 11 a.m. Friday at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston, where services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Saturday with Charles Cheatham, minister of Tanner Street Church of Christ in Sikeston, officiating.

Burial will be in the Sikeston City Cemeterv.

BRADLEY M. HOPWOOD

MALDEN — Funeral services for Bradley Mark Hopwood, 17, who died Wednesday of injuries received in a motorcycle accident Tuesday, are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in First Christian Church. The Rev. Richard Davison will officiate.

Burial will be in a Fairdealing cemetery.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Landess Funeral Home.

Hopwood was born Oct. 8, 1958 in Cape Girardeau to Glen and Margaret Hopwood, who survive. His father operates Hopwood Flying Service and SeMo Aviation.

He was a member of First Christian Church and played on the junior high school football team.

Other survivors include two brothers, Rance and Reggie Hopwood of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Slayton of Fairdealing; and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Villa Hopwood of Springfield, Ill.

BENJAMIN H. BARKER

DORENA — Benjamin Harrison Barker, 80, a prominent farmer in the East Prairie area, died at 3:45 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

He was born Feb. 20, 1894 in Dorena to the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClellan Kelly Barker. He had lived in Mississippi County all of his life and was a member of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church at East Prairie.

His first wife, Nola Morgan Barker, preceded him in death. His second wife, Opal Marie Morgan Barker, survives.

Also surviving are four sons, Harry Blaine Barker of Dexter, Bill Barker of Charleston, Sam Barker of East Prairie and William Randolph Barker of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Eugenia Adkisson of East Prairie, Mrs. Mera Ben Bess of St. Louis and Mrs. Carolyn Smithson of Sunnyvale, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Guy Glover of Sikeston and Mrs. J. H. Ashlock of East Prairie; and one brother, Eugene Barker of Dorena.

Friends may call at Shelby Funeral Home in East Prairie, where services are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. Saturday. The Rev. Glen Lashley, pastor of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

HOUSTON (AP) — The 45-day Women's International Bowling Congress tournament runs through May 18 on a 72-lane center in Houston. A total of 5,734 five-woman teams have entered with prize money of $417,779. It's the second richest WIBC in history.

Marshal's wife to be deputy

Miner Marshal Andy Freeman said today his wife Lola will serve as a volunteer deputy marshal and will be the first woman deputy marshal to serve the community.

Freeman said his wife's praimary duties will be to assist in searching female subjects.

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school system for 18 years; Helen Reuber, a councilor and teacher of personal analysis at the high school who has been with the system for 20 years; and James Stroud, a power mechanics teacher at the high school who has taught at the school for nine years.

The teachers each received a certificate and a single red rose during a short ceremony at the meeting.

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Mrs. Gwaltney, who lived in Halls, Tenn., was visiting in her daughter's home.

Mrs. Curtis's 15- year - old daughter, Brenda Underwood, said she witnessed the shooting and escaped injury by climbing through a window and running to the home of a neighbor who notified police. Two other children of Mrs. Curtis were reportedly in a bedroom of the home at the time of the shooting.

The bodies of the women have been taken to Garner Funeral Home at Ripley, Tenn., for services and burial. Arrangements were incomplete this morning.

Weather Elsewhere

By The Associated Press
Thursday

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	60	50		rn
Albu'que	88	55		cdy
Amarillo	91	60		cdy
Anchorage	55	37		cdy
Asheville	71	51		cdy
Atlanta	78	59	.03	cdy
Birmingham	75	59	.38	cdy
Jbismarck	66	38		rn
Boise	79	51		cdy
Boston	62	44		rn
Brownsville	85	75		cdy
Buffalo	53	44	.28	rn
Charleston	74	68		cdy
Charlotte	73	59	.14	cdy
Chicago	45	40		cdy
Cincinnati	57	49	.16	cdy
Cleveland	54	51	.51	rn
Denver	85	50		cdy
Des Moines	48	45		rn
Detroit	45	41	.91	cdy

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Some paintings are sold even before they are completed, or sight unseen, Rhinehart explained.

Prices of his paintings range from $300 to $7,500 -- the most one of his paintings ever sold for. He added that currently he is working on one that will be sold for much more than that highest amount. Rhinehart establishes his prices on the quality of the painting.

Some of Rhinehart's paintings have titles, although he cautions that an artist must be very careful in titling a picture.

Most of the paintings with titles are abstracts and the titles are taken from the Bible. Rhinehart said that this is because of the strength and mystery of the Bible and because the Bible is itself abstract.

One example of a title Rhinehart has used is, "And what did you go out to see? A reed shaking in the wind." A story also is connected with this title and painting. At one show, viewers of Rhinehart's work noticed a small boy standing in front of this particular picture swaying back and forth.

People gathered around, Rhinehart said, when they noticed how involved the boy had become in the painting. It was as if the youth actually saw and felt the reeds swaying.

Not only is Rhinehart a painter, but he is also somewhat of a poet. He has written nine poems and hopes to have them made into a book some day. His wife describes them as "beautiful."

One poem was written from a painting. Rhinehart explained that he had begun an abstract painting on the emotions he felt on seeing his first buffalo out West. "I had the painting half finished," Rhinehart said, "and felt I needed to write." So he stopped, wrote a poem on the subject in 15 minutes and then completed the painting.

The Rhineharts have 11 children -- five still at home -- and three grandchildren. There may be another artist in the family, Mrs. Rhinehart said, explaining that their 13 - year - old son has a very creative mind. She added that all of their children have a great interest in art.

Aside from painting, Rhinehart also enjoys playing the guitar and singing -- mostly for his own and his family's amusement, he adds -- fishing and piloting a plane. He is also interested in body building -- specifically weight lifting.

World news in brief

WASHINGTON (AP) — A scientific armada is being readied to study one of the weakest links in science's understanding of how global weather and climate is produced. More than 4,000 scientists and other personnel of 66 nations will undertake the study of the vast sundrenched land, sea and atmospheric areas of the world's tropics this summer. The $53 million venture is led by the United States and the Soviet Union.

DETROIT (AP) — Weather conditions, air pollution and news headlines each play a different role in mental health, a University of Pennsylvania research team reports. The researchers told the American Psychiatric Association on Wednesday that high barometric pressure is associated with depression and low barometric pressure with intoxication. They found in a study that heavy pollution brought psychiatric contacts with people suffering various types of organic brain damages. News headlines showed the least linkage with the psychiatric emergencies but could still be implicated for "the worsening of neurotic and family conflicts" or increased bravado that could lead to fatal accidents, the researchers reported.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Dr. Reinhold Aman has a different view of the Watergate transcripts than some who have criticized the salty language in the White House conversations. "I just eat it up," says Aman, an expert on swearing. The 38-year-old University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee professor says cursing is a necessary means of letting off steam in nearly every language. Aman, who can curse in 50 languages, says his biggest disappointment in the Watergate transcripts is that the expletives have been deleted and he's trying to figure out just what the dropped words are. "I wish I could get all the expletives," he says. "That would be like winning at a lottery or something."

SWIFTWATER, Pa. (AP) — The parents of Mary Jo Kopechne, who drowned when Sen. Edward M. Kennedy's car went off a bridge five years ago, say they will support the Massachusetts Democrat for President.

"We like the senator just as we liked his brothers, Robert and the President," said Gwen Kopechne, 56. "He stands for what I think is right. He's a lot better than what we've got now."

She and her husband, Joseph, 61, both said they thought Kennedy's political strength is in his appeal to youth. Kennedy, who has said he will decide next year about seeking the Presidency, has acknowledged the 1969 incident involving Miss Kopechne probably would be an issue if he runs.

OTTAWA (AP) — Canada's political parties began preparing today for a general election in July following the overthrow of Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau's Liberal government. Inflation was certain to be the major campaign issue. By a vote of 137-123, the House of Commons adopted a motion of no confidence in Trudeau's minority government. The 54-year-old prime minister said he would call on Governor-General Jules Leger this morning to ask him to dissolve the lower house and call an election. Election day is expected to be July 8.

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Daniel Oduber, who 26 years ago joined a revolution over an annulled election, has gained some fruits for his effort.

Oduber, 51, was inaugurated as president of Costa Rica on Wednesday, and promptly issued a warning to foreign investors. He said his government would issue a ruling to limit foreign investment to minority ownership of companies.

Oduber, a lawyer, was elected president over eight other candidates.

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Sikeston teachers retire

Six retiring teachers were honored Wednesday at the Sikeston Community Teachers Association meeting at Sikeston High School. From left are Elva Manche, Anna Cochran, Nellie Reynolds, Carl Wright, Helen Reuber and James Stroud. (Daily Standard Photo)

Curtis charged with 2 counts of murder today

PORTAGEVILLE — Two murder charges were filed today by New Madrid County Pros. Atty. Hal E. Hunter Jr. against 39- year - old Lindol Curtis in connection with the Tuesday night shooting deaths of his former wife and her mother.

Following an all night manhunt, Curtis was found at 9:15 a.m. Wednesday unconscious in his car which was parked in a barn on a farm road three miles west of the former Hollywood Courts Tavern north of Marston.

Curtis this morning was reported in serious condition, due to an apparent overdose of drugs, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., where he was transferred Wednesday after being first admitted to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

Mary Louise Curtis, 34, and her mother, Susan Gwaltney, 66, died instantly from multiple gunshot wounds at 10:50 p.m. Tuesday, allegedly fired by Curtis from a .38- caliber automatic pistol at the home of Mrs. Curtis on Portageville Route Three.

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N. Madrid escapees captured in Illinois

NEW MADRID — Three Urbana, Ill. juvenile boys, two aged 15 and one 16, who escaped about 8 p.m. Wednesday from the New Madrid County jail where they were being held for Illinois police, were captured this morning near Champaign, Ill., according to information received by the county sheriff's department.

The youths were in a 1970 model car stolen Wednesday night while it was parked at the New Madrid County Health Center at 650 Main St., a short distance from the county jail. The car was owned by Harold Lawson of Lilbourn.

The boys were runaways from the Champaign County Youth Home in Urbana where they had been confined on car stealing charges.

They were apprehended Monday in New Madrid County in a car which had been stolen near Portageville.

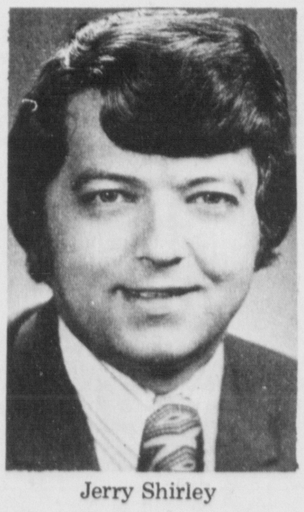
The youths used the same method as that of three other inmates who have successfully escaped in the past three months.

A light fixture in the ceiling of their cell was torn out to gain entrance to the attic. The boys then managed to reach the roof through a ventilator.

On Feb. 12 two Michigan men escaped by the same route and on March 17 a 16- year - old New Madrid youth left the jail in that manner. The men were later apprehended in Arizona and the youth was returned to police by his father.

An extensive $47,000 renovation of the jail was completed in October 1973.

New Madrid chamber banquet set May 16



Jerry Shirley

NEW MADRID— Jerry Shirley of Jefferson City, Southeast Missouri Area Community Betterment Specialist, Division of Commerce and Industrial Development, will be the featured speaker at the seventh annual Chamber of Commerce banquet and awards dinner scheduled on May 16.

The dinner will be at 7 p.m. in the New Madrid County R- 1 enlarged district vocational- technical school on Highway 61 at Interstate 55 Howardville interchange.

Shirley, 32, has been associated with the Missouri Community Betterment Program since Jan. 1, 1972 during which time he has visited and worked with many of the Bootheel area cities in the program.

He is a member of the Southern Industrial Development Council and Chamber of Commerce Executives of Missouri.

Prior to joining the Division of Commerce and Industrial Development, he was in the broadcasting field with radio and television stations in Missouri and Illinois.

Shirley's topic will be "My Town".

Other program features announced will be a report of 1973- 74 activities by Clint Halstead, outgoing chamber president; presentation of awards by Mrs. Saundra Cope, first vice president elect; 1974- 75 program of work by Bob Hedgepeth, president elect; and musical entertainment by the New Madrid high school stage band.

Tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce office, 311 Main Street.

Retiring teachers honored

Six retiring teachers were honored Wednesday afternoon at the Sikeston Community Teachers Association meeting at Sikeston High School.

The six, who will retire at the end of the school year, include:

Elva Manche, a fourth grade teacher at Southeast Elementary School, who has taught in the Sikeston school system for 11 years; Anna Chochran, who teaches fourth grade at Matthews Elementary and has taught in the school system for 20 years; Nellie Reynolds, a second and third grade teacher at Morehouse Elementary School who has been with the school for 35 years.

Carl Wright, who teaches American History at the high school, and has been with the

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200 expected at chamber dinner tonight

About 200 towns people are expected to attend tonight's 24th annual Chamber of Commerce banquet at 6:30 p.m. in Ramada Inn.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

The chamber will announce its selection for Man of the Year recognition at tonight's dinner.

The featured speaker will be George E. Gray, director of community development and governmental affairs on the executive staff of the St. Louis Regional Commerce and Growth Association.

Gray's responsibilities include development of policy and implementation of programs carried out by the community development and governmental affairs division.

Nude dasher is arrested

Eddie Lee Polk, 23, of Matthews Route One was arrested about 1:30 a.m. today by Miner Marshal Andy Freeman after allegedly dashing nude through Ramada Inn.

Freeman said Polk was caught by Ramada Inn security guard John Pearson.

Polk allegedly ran through the lobby and the lounge areas of the motel before being caught.

"The only thing he had on was his shoes," Freeman said.

Polk was arrested for being a public nuisance and was released after posting a $50 bond.

Honors event set for Monday

The annual Sikeston High School honors reception, honoring students who ranked in the top 10 per cent of grades 10-12 and their parents will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the high school cafetorium.

The guest speaker will be John Moll, vice president of wholesale food distribution for Malone and Hyde Inc. in Nashville, Tenn. Moll is a Sikeston High School graduate.

The senior band will perform at the reception.

East Prairie man draws 12 years

CHARLESTON — Ronnie Lane of East Prairie, convicted of first- degree robbery by a Circuit Court jury March 27, was sentenced Wednesday to 12 years in custody of the State Department of Corrections by Judge Marshall Craig.

A motion for a new trial from Lane's attorney was overruled by Judge Craig, but he did grant an oral application for a probation investigation and gave Lane credit for 105 days served in jail prior to sentencing.

Lane, who was tried under the habitual criminal act, was found guilty of taking $130 at gunpoint from Mrs. Carolyn Jackson on Jan. 15 at Friendly Market in East Prairie.

Roger Dale Scott was found guilty Wednesday of driving while intoxicated and driving while his operator's license was revoked by a Circuit Court jury presided over by Judge Craig.

The jury deliberated about an hour and a half before reaching the guilty verdict and assessing Scott's, punishment at 90 days in the county jail and a $300 fine.

Missouri Highway Patrol Trooper Norris Grissom, the arresting officer, was the only witness called by Pros. Atty. W. Clifton Banta Jr. on direct examination. Grissom testified that on the night of Nov. 10, 1973, he saw Scott driving a pickup truck at the intersection of Highway 80 and Main Street in East Prairie.

Grissom said he knew Scott's operator's license had been revoked earlier in the year, and, after seeing him driving the truck, he turned his patrol car around and gave pursuit. Grissom said the truck was being driven at a normal rate of speed at the time it passed within four feet of him at the intersection. The truck slowed down to a creep, he said, before returning to the normal rate of speed.

According to Grissom, when the truck stopped, Dale Crump of East Prairie was driving and Scott was on the passenger side. Both men appeared to be intoxicated and were taken to the Charleston police station, given breathalyzer tests and charged.

On cross- examination, Grissom said he remembered seeing a Western-style hat with the brim turned up in the front and back on Scott's head when the truck first passed him. However, when the two men got out of the truck, Grissom said Crump was wearing the hat. He denied that he made a statement to Jim Owens that he was not sure if Scott was driving the truck.

Banta later recalled Grissom and called Deputy Sheriff Jack Ivie as rebuttal witnesses.

Scott testified in his own defense and denied driving the truck on the night in question or wearing the hat Grissom described at any time. Other defense witnesses were Mrs. Linda Scott, Crump and Mrs. Judy Owens.

Decrees of dissolution of marriage were granted Tuesday by Judge Craig to Robert Moore and Barbara Moore, with Mrs. Moore receiving custody of two children and $7.50 per child per week for child support, and to Mary Margaret Klar and Raymond Floyd Klar.

Homes, cars, crops are damaged by hail

Insurance agents and adjustment bureau managers in the Sikeston area said today that they had received many reports of damage -- mostly minor -- to homes and crops from Wednesday afternoon's hail storm.

The brief deluge of hail occurred about 4 p.m., with hail stones as large as tennis balls and baseballs reported in some parts of the city and its outskirts. During the 24- hour- period ending at 7 a.m. today .26 inch of precipitation was recorded.

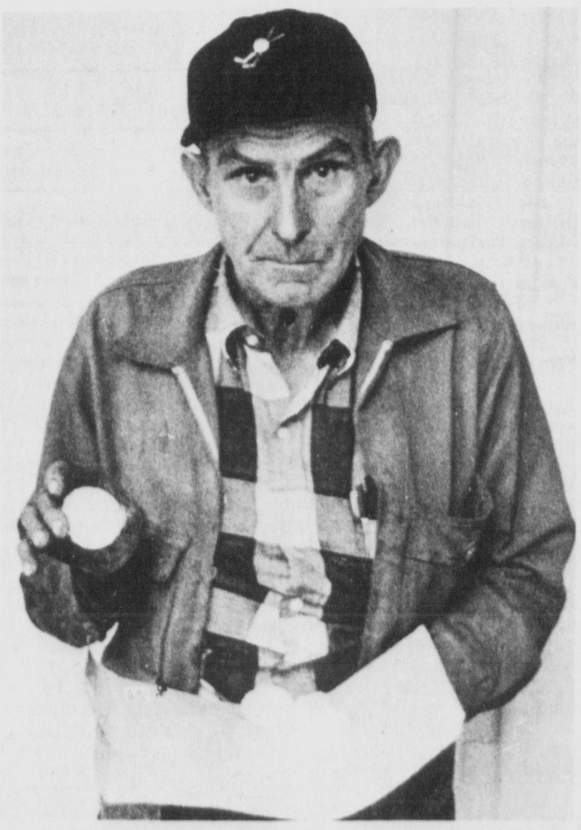
Hail mainly damaged roofs, awnings, garages, and windows of homes and some commercial buildings. Agents are also receiving reports of dents and chrome damage to motor vehicles from the hail.

Wheat and corn farmers are reporting some damage also, although the extent of damage will not be known until crops are given time to recover and adjusters survey the fields.

At Sikeston High School eight windows were broken out of the greenhouse, about two in the cafeteria and three in the welding shop, Roger Sherman, principal, said today.

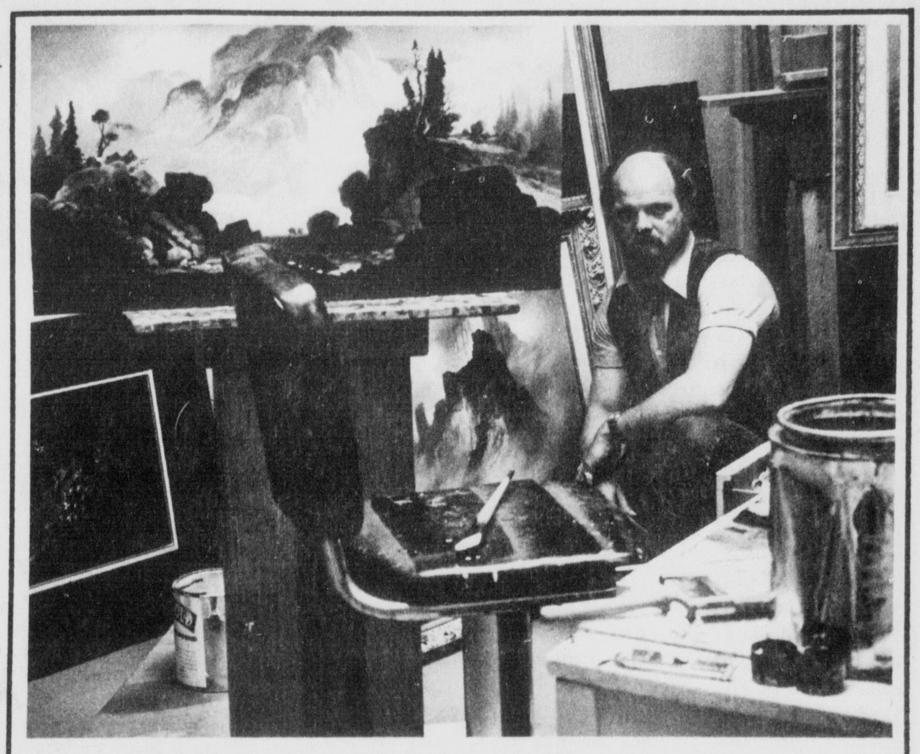
The area was also under a severe weather watch Wednesday afternoon and early evening. Forecasters were calling for hail, high winds and a possible tornado, although only hail and rain struck Sikeston.

Forecasters are now calling for considerable cloudiness through Friday, with a chance of thundershowers ending Friday. Lows tonight will be in the mid 50s and highs Friday in the 70s. Probability of rain tonight is 40 per cent and 30 per cent chance Friday. Showers or thunderstorms are likely Saturday, ending Sunday and a pleasant and clear day is predicted for Monday.



Large hailstones

Harvey Bailey, Route Two, holds large hailstones he collected Wednesday afternoon after a hail storm hit the Sikeston area. Bailey was working in a garden for Mrs. George Hensley at 310 Missouri St. when the storm hit. (Daily Standard photo)



Rhinehart paintings unique

M. Charles Rhinehart takes a break from his painting amid other samples of his artwork in his Ste. Genevieve studio. Rhinehart has become one of the best known artists in the state, and is especially well known for his landscapes and abstracts with vibrant colors blended together by Rhinehart's own special technique and portrayal of an emotional quality through techniques he originated.

Talent credited to God, techniques to discipline

By PAT GROJEAN

With no formal training in the field of art, M. Charles Rhinehart of Ste. Genevieve, has become one of the best known artists in the state.

Hard work, study, discipline and trial and error are given credit by Rhinehart for development of his techniques and theories of basic form, color and light over the past 20 plus years and for the success he has now achieved.

On each painting he produces, most of which are landscapes, Rhinehart also gives credit, just above the signature of his name -- M. Charles Rhinehart -- for his talent as an artist. This is done in the form of a cross (+) just above the initials JMJ. These initials and the cross, Rhinehart said recently, in an interview while visiting Sikeston, are to "give credit where it is due."

The initials stand for Jesus, Mary and Joseph, to whom he attributes what he believes is his God- given talent.

"I want to give credit where it is due without being a fanatic," Rhinehart says. He added that he says nothing about the initial unless asked -- but it is one of the questions most frequently asked of him.

Recalling his early days as a full-time artist, Rhinehart reported that it was not easy at first to make a living solely by selling his paintings.

Eleven years ago Rhinehart and his family decided that he should try to make it as a full-time artist. When asked if it was a hard decision, Rhinehart replied with no hesitation, "You're dad gum right it was hard to go full time."

The family gave up an outdoor advertising business and a church decorating business, both in Ste. Genevieve, so he could become a full-time artist. To the side, Rhinehart added, "We ate a lot of cream of wheat for awhile."

To get established as an artist, Rhinehart participated in most outdoors shows and taught art classes. For awhile, Rhinehart said he taught eight classes a week. Classes were held throughout Southeast Missouri; in Sikeston, Charleston, Cape Girardeau, East Prairie, Perryville, Farmington, Flat River and Fredericktown.

Although he no longer teaches classes on such a wide schedule as in previous years, he has taught one outdoor painting and drawing class each year, but has none scheduled for this summer.

When teaching students, Rhinehart says he tries to "teach them everything I have learned from basics to what I am doing today."

Rhinehart, although primarily a landscape painter, does some abstracts, too. He works mainly with oils. Rhinehart said his techniques have not changed through the years, but that he has just become more "knowledgeable and gained a greater insight and skill in the techniques."

Rhinehart is careful to guard the secrets of his own special techniques which make his pictures different from anyone else's. Rhinehart does say he feels he is very fortunate to have been able to develop a technique that makes his paintings different. He proudly adds that "no one else knows how to do it."

There are two parts to his paintings, according to Rhinehart. One is the use of his own theory of color, which he developed through the years, and the other is the use of the brush, although he did not elaborate on that. He did make it clear that he uses a regular bristle brush, and not an air brush as many people think.

"I had to create because I limited myself on the use of my brush at first," Rhinehart said. He feels that the limitation he placed on himself, although he no longer adheres to it, helped him create his own style.

His paintings may take him from as little as one day to complete up to a full year on some paintings. "Time doesn't make the painting," Rhinehart is quick to add.

The reason he can work on one painting for one year and not lose the idea of the picture is because the emotional qualities are put down in the first hour. "From then on, it's technical," Rhinehart adds.

Rhinehart prefers warm colors for his paintings and, from the time he started as an artist, he has painted with the same nine colors on his pallet.

The size of his paintings vary, but the techniques and the vibrant colors remain the same in each. "I like the big ones," Rhinehart said when asked what size of paintings he prefers to do.

He added that most of his paintings are in the 24 by 36- inch and 36 by 40- inch sizes. He does paintings as small as eight by 10 inches and as large as seven feet by 11 feet.

"I feel an artist who can do an eight by 10-inch painting and then an eight by 10- foot (painting) -- and have the same quality -- well, that is the mark of an artist."

Rhinehart says he may do 150 pieces of art in one year, including watercolors and drawings ... but only 10 or 12 big, "successful" paintings in one year.

Where do his ideas come from? Rhinehart gets them from the outdoors. He likes to be outdoors and especially likes to travel in the Southwestern states. During a 10- day or two - week painting trip, Rhinehart may acquire enough ideas to paint for a year and sometimes more.

Rhinehart does not try to paint the scene exactly as he sees it, but instead tries to convey the emotions he experienced about a certain view or place.

To carry an idea back to his studio in Ste. Genevieve, Rhinehart sometimes paints with watercolors, sometimes makes a black and white drawing and "sometimes I just sit and look."

Rhinehart is planning another painting trip West in June, which will double as a vacation for the family. He added that to him a painting trip is a vacation. His travels have taken him throughout the United States, including Alaska.

Awards are not important Rhinehart says, and he no longer participates in museum shows or contests. He does have several shows throughout the year, but reports that they "never have enough paintings for a show."

Paintings are sold before his supply can be replenished enough for some shows.

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It's inside...

Americans will pay more this year for their summer vacations. Turn to ... page 8.

Thirty traffic cases were heard Wednesday by Magistrate Lloyd Briggs. Turn to ... page 9.

Church League softball schedule is announced. Turn to ... page 11.

...and outside

Considerable cloudiness through Friday; chance for thundershowers ending Friday. Low tonight in mid 50s, winds southeast 8-15 mph. High Friday in the 70s. Probability of rain 40 per cent tonight, 30 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Showers or thunderstorms likely Saturday, ending on Sunday. Clear and pleasant Monday. Temperatures near normal with lows in the 50s and highs in the 70s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 77 and 49 degrees. Rain, accompanied by golf ball size hail, measured .26 inch.

Sunset today ..... 7:54 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...5:55 a.m.
Moonrise tonight. 11:13 p.m.
Last Quarter.....May 14

The planet Mars is now well above Saturn. Tonight, Mars is also a little above Mebusta, a dim white star in Gemini. Saturn sets tonight at--- 10:57 p.m. and Mars follows at--- 11:47 p.m.

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Thursday, May 9 — 35 BC, Job's fire insurance cancelled.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Home cooking is where a lot of wives aren't.

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PROTECT AMERICAN FISHERIES

For several years, hugh Soviet fishing fleets have been combing the Eastern shores of our country, and with typical ruthlessness and blatant disregard for conservation, have been literally destroying entire schools of fish, leaving nothing behind. Using sophisticated electronic fish- tracking gear, small- mesh nets which allow nothing to escape, and other coordinated attack tactics, the Soviets have been literally dragging the ocean clean. As a result, the New England coast, which once boasted a seemingly inexaustable supply of fish, has now been reduced to the point where certain species of fish, once plentiful, are now virtually extinct.

For example, a great favorite for famous New England fish chowders was once the Haddock. Almost anyone in a small boat could go out and with reasonable good luck could catch for himself a good Haddock from the millions which teemed in the sea. And the professional fisherman often returned to port with an entire shipload of Haddock, weighing several tons, with plenty more left where they came from.

Today, the Haddock is a rare species. The Communists have virtually wiped them out. And now the Reds have shifted their attack to other species. The Flounder, Cod, Mackerel, Sea Scallops and Lobster are being seriously threatened.

Attempts to establish some sort of international agreements to preserve our declining fish stocks have brought little more than a sneer from the Soviet Union. In the meantime, stop-gap legislation (H.R. 8665) has been introduced by Congressman Gerry E. Studds of Massachusetts, co-sponsored by 70 members of the House, and a similar bill (S. 1988) has been introduced in the Senate Hearings on these measures will open during May and June.

In the meantime, you can contact your own congressman and urge immediate action on this vitally important matter. Lacking international agreement, the United States should take forthright action to see that this important food supply is not totally destroyed.

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Prof. Sam Harbin laments that he's working harder today to pay his taxes than he once did to earn a living.

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Wanted to buy an ecological lawnmower, but the neighbors won't let us keep a goat.

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When you pay the fiddler, you never get bargain prices.

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A Sikeston man said that all he got out of the hullabaloo of his daughter's wedding was a drunk, and that his wife had been mad about it ever since.

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"The fact that U. S. agriculture is the most productive in the world is one of the important reasons why Americans on welfare live better than the top third of the population in most other countries," contends U. S. Agriculture Secretary Butz. According to the Arizona Farm Bureau Federation, he asked the question, "In what other country of the world do people on welfare have automobiles, central heat, running water, electricity, indoor toilets, color television, public health service and medicare?"

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After all, the greatest aid to health is regulating the diet

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EVERYONE KNOWS BUT US

Curious things are still going on in Vietnam, things that Washington would just as soon spare the American public from worrying about.

There was a slip-up the other day, however. A group of newsmen were being given a routine tour of a U. S. air base in Thailand when a helicopter came in with a pilotless reconnaisance plane slung beneath it. It seems that such drones are regularly sent on photographic and information - gathering missions over North Vietnam, and on returning are recovered in mid-air by helicopters.

The Pentagon defends the flights, saying that they are permitted under the Paris agreements which supposedly ended the Vietnam war.

That's not the point. The point is that unless the North Vietnamese are extremely nearsighted as well as hard of hearing, the secrecy surrounding such operations can only be directed against — we'll give you one guess.

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"... the challenges facing the energy companies in the years ahead will make the problems of the past seem tame by comparison. And yet, with those challenges will come great opportunities. Most industries would welcome the time when demand for their products outstrips supply. We should welcome the dawning of such an era, too. The transition from virtual total dependence on conventional energy sources to new forms of synthetic fuels holds intriguing possibilities. And the challenge of coexisting with our environment will provide perhaps the greatest test of all." -- Mr. W. H. Burnap, executive vice president of the Western Hemisphere Petroleum Division, Continental Oil Company.

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A Sikeston girl wore dresses so hard to get into that when she sent several to a rummage sale she accompanied each one with written directions.

'YOU DON'T HEAR HIM COMPLAINING'



TOMORROW

MAY 10 — FRIDAY

COMMON PRAYER DAY. May 10. Denmark. National holiday.

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY. May 10. North Carolina and South Carolina.

FOUNDERS DAY OF TAURUS INTERNATIONAL. May 10. Purpose: 210th anniversary of the world's oldest professional society of communicators. Sponsor: Taurus International, Sol H. Marshall, Box 2244, Hollywood, Calif. 90028.

GOLDEN SPIKE CEREMONY REENACTMENT. May 10. Golden Spike Natl. Historic Site, Promontory Summitt, Utah. Commemorates completion of 1st Transcontinental Railway, in 1869. Info from: Supt., Golden Spike Natl Historic Site, Promontory Star Route, Corinne, Utah 84307.

PREAKNESS FESTIVAL WEEK. May 10-19. Info. from: Convention & Visitors Council, 102-104 St. Paul St., Baltimore, Md. 21202.

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SPINNING THEIR WHEELS

The women's lib legislation at Jefferson City is causing considerable wheel spinning by legislators, as our own Representative Osbourn seems to believe.

Last week most of an entire evening session was taken up with changing "he" and "she" bills so they would not designate either sex.

Then, Ozzie says, a Representative made the whole thing appear to be useless when he quoted the law that says:

"When any person is described or referred to by words imparting the masculine gender, females as well as males are included."

That ought to take care of all sexes.

Paris Appeal

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WHO RUNS AMERICA?

In a nationwide survey on national influence conducted by U. S. News & World Report, a cross- section of American leaders listed the five men or women they regarded as the "most influential in the United States today." In tabulating the results, 5 points were awarded to the person named in first place, 4 points for second place, and so on down to 1 point for fifth place. The results -- with the number of first- place votes in parenthesis:

	Points
1. Richard Nixon (279)	1,773
2. Henry Kissinger (119)	1,409
3. George Meany (12)	404
4. Ralph Nader (7)	218
5. David Rockefeller (7)	194
6. Warren Burger (1)	184
7. George Shultz (3)	182
8. William Simon (5)	178
9. Gerald Ford (1)	167
10. Wilbur Mills (2)	153
11. Mike Mansfield (1)	152
12. Edward Kennedy (4)	149

A number of other Americans did well in the survey.

Among them were Walter Cronkite, CBS news commentator; Senator Henry Jackson, a potential candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1976; U. S. District Judge John J. Sirica, who headed the judicial inquiry in the Watergate break-in; Katharine Graham, publisher of The Washington Post; Billy Graham, the evangelist; John Gardner of Common Cause, Governor George C. Wallace of Alabama, and ex-Governor Nelson Rockefeller of New York.

What emerges from this leadership survey, in its totality, is a portrait of influence in America that is surprisingly like some widely held suppositions -- and remarkably unlike others.

Some major implications says U. S. News:

-- Americans see individual influence today as increasingly a matter of organizational connections rather than personal qualities, whether leadership operates in the spotlight or out of public view.

-- In the aggregate, political and governmental institutions seem to weigh most heavily in the minds of U. S. leaders when they evaluate influence. Communications -- especially television -- are clearly a strong and growing force.

-- Business, industry and finance do not emerge as dynamic influences in the results of this questionnaire. Many leaders could not name the top executive officers of the nation's biggest corporations, a situation that might have stirred widespread concern in times past.

--Long- held suspicions that the influence of religion, educational institutions and political parties are not as strong as once thought appear to be borne out in the answers given by American's leaders.

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Nothing like living in a free country. If you don't believe it ask the extreme radicals, Communists, dope heads, and other kooks who do everything in the book against their country and still stay out of jail.

One of the latest groups to get newspaper and television coverage is an organization to Impeach the President. This "friendly" group of Americans paraded in Washington, D. C. last week with banners and slogans all urging the removal of Nixon from office. Similar groups paraded in other large cities and the TV cameras, as usual were there to publicize this "historic event."

Solid citizens should have long since got the message that radicals who are primarily interested in doing away with our form of government are not on their side. The left-wingers are out to foment revolution and cause trouble, that's their aim and they do an excellent job.

Some day a radical will call up a large newspaper and tell them they are going to blow-up the Courthouse at 9 p.m. and to please send a photographer. It would be our guess the cameraman would show up on time all ready for action.

In our society today it is proper for anarchists and other revolutionaries to appear on television on talk shows, speak to our young people in colleges and universities and in most cases get paid large fees for blasting yours and my beloved country. Anything goes and the more radical the speaker the more money he or she gets paid. Twenty-five years ago some of the worst would have been jailed for such remarks, and fifty years ago, most would have been lynched.

When anyone tells you about our imperialistic nation and lack of privilege, you can be certain they are speaking the Communists line.

No where in the world can editors speak out as freely as they do in America and no nation permits the diatribe and insults flung out by acknowledged revolutionaries as here.

With all our shortcomings, the U. S. is still the land of the free but the tide is turning unless the majority of Americans take heed and use their influence at the ballot boxes to elect candidates who will defend their country instead of those going along with the left wing movement.

Col. Wm. Lester Simpson in the Holden Enterprise

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NIXON'S HUMILIATION, AMERICA'S SHAME

When the story of the rise and fall of Richard M. Nixon is written, the most painful chapter of all will be the one recounting how the President was forced to humble himself to the extent of revealing his private finances.

The collapse of "executive privilege" as a defense in the matter of the Watergate tapes and other White House documents was bad enough. But it was a setback not so much to the President as to the "presidency," with which Richard Nixon had so uniquely identified his own interests.

The publication of his income tax returns was a profoundly personal humiliation.

It was a humiliation, not because it means that Richard Nixon has less right to privacy than other Americans — though there is certainly merit in the argument that every elected or appointed high official on both a national and state level should as a matter of course, and of morality, make public his income tax return each year.

It was a humiliation because circumstances — or his "enemies," if you will — forced Mr. Nixon to waive his right to privacy. To make matters worse, the disclosure has had just the opposite effect than the hoped-for one of allaying public concern over the President's honesty.

The average person is not interested in the intricacies and convolutions of the President's Form 1040; he has enough trouble making out his own return. All he sees is a total income in six figures and a total tax paid in three figures. All that impresses him is that during the first four years of his term, the President paid an income tax at an effective rate of only 1 per cent.

It matters not one whit that it was apparently legal, or "technically defensible," as some tax experts have put it. It makes no difference to point out that the President, by taking advantage of every benefit and deduction, was only using a sharp razor the same as any sensible person.

The President of the United States is just not supposed to do what "everybody does." Or at least not do it so monumentally well.

"I have proceeded in a manner I thought both prudent and in the best interest of my family," said Mr. Nixon in his statement accompanying the release of his financial report.

Mr. Nixon's "prudence" has made him a millionaire since his election in 1968 and taken him and his family a long way from the respectable cloth coat days of 1952.

No one begrudges him that. What galls the average persons is his apparent use of his high office to accelerate the enrichment process, especially that disputed half- million - dollar tax write-off of his vice presidential papers donated to the National Archives.

Perhaps the weakest defense of the President was offered by Vice President Gerald Ford. The tax laws are aimed at giving everybody equal treatment, he said, and Mr. Nixon did adhere to the law in following the advice of his tax counsel and his CPA.

The fact is that there is no such thing as equality of treatment between a man earning $5,000 or $10,000 and one earning $100,000 or $200,000. The little guy simply does no not qualify for the numerous tax breaks available to the rich guy. For sure, he doesn't have a lawyer or accountant to advise him.

That is why Americans are disgusted. It's not just the President but the whole unfair system.

The humiliation is Richard Nixon's. The shame is America's.

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Anything that's 100 % wool these days is probably being worn by a sheep.

H. L. Hunt

PROFESSOR TURNED POLICEMAN

Dr. George Kirkham is an assistant professor in the School of Criminology of Florida State University. He decided that he would become a policeman for a few months in order to know more about the subject he was teaching. His experiences, as recounted in the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin, gave him valuable insights into the problems policemen face and the great services they perform for all of us.

Like many people in colleges and universities, Dr. Kirkham had believed that policemen had too much authority and were too quick to use force against lawbreakers. After only a few weeks on the beat, he realized that the policeman's "ability to back up the lawful authority which he represents is the only thing which stands between civilization and the jungle of lawlessness."

Dr. Kirkham came to appreciate the great stresses on a policeman. They must make difficult decisions in a split second, sometimes in life or death matters. They come face to face daily with poverty and injustice, violence and greed, pain and sufferings. They carry on their shoulders the safety of all the people in their community.

After his experiences as a policeman, Dr. Kirkham realized that the courts are much too lenient on lawbreakers and do not often enough take into account the sufferings of the victims of crimes. He stated that in his "new role as a police officer, I found that the victims of crime ceased to be impersonal statistics."

Dr. Kirkham's story should be studied by all those who do not fully appreciate the vitally important job that policemen do for all of us. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Condemnation Before Trial:

Strauss: Official Position On Impeachment Depends On What's Good for Democrats

WASHINGTON — To each his own. On March 28, Democratic National Committee chairman Robert Strauss struck a note of loyalty -- to his party. Said he, the Democratic position on impeachment must be based on what "is good or bad for the Democrats." Then, to even matters, he added: "... Good or bad for the country."

He did not elaborate on what he or his colleagues would do if there were a conflict between what was good for the party and good for the nation. But apparently all sides are full steam ahead to crack President Nixon. And admittedly with great candor. Strauss allegedly speaks for the center. His party's left wing, otherwise known as George McGovern's Americans for Democratic Action (ADA), which has its national conference May 9, is just as outspoken.

In a recent communique to its troops, the ADA admitted it is having difficulty convincing the rank- and- file citizenry that impeachment is as good for the country as it is for the party. The missive was signed by national chairman Congressman Donald Fraser, a Democratic- Farmer- Labor activist since he was 23 years old. One of Hubert Humphrey's disciples.

Since the masses don't appear to be stirred by the impeachment movement, Fraser, who as a Representative from Minnesota should be waiting for the Judiciary Committee to submit the evidence, writes to his fellow ADA-ers quite plaintively:

"We must continue to wage a massive education campaign. We must explain these constitutional issues in plain, simple language. Our message must reach beyond the liberals and intellectuals to the conservatives and moderates who cherish our Constitution."

The ADA theory here seems to be that conservatives and moderates should be dosed with monosyllables. And three-word sentences. Such as: He must go. Bill Buckley, please note.

Congressman Don Fraser and such ADA vice chairmen as Prof. J. Kenneth Galbraith want to whip up the impeachment movement at all costs -- and since their action program will cost much, it would be fascinating to have John Gardner's Common Cause look at the books. Why?

Just look at the ADA strategy outlined in Fraser's call to arms. The strategy requires the kind of heavy funds which only labor organizations can contribute or an esoteric millionaire whose dad left him $800 million.

"ADA is hard at work:

"Distributing 500,000 copies of the Case for Impeachment.

"Distributing 250,000 copies of a special ADA World impeachment issue.

"Publishing both a Watergate bibliography and chronology.

"Distributing an analysis of congressional attitudes based on our lobbyists' daily meetings.

"Organizing public meetings, phone and letter campaigns, and personal visits to U.S. Representatives in their home districts.

"Organizing special media campaigns to present our views to TV and radio audiences and to readers of the nation's newspapers.

"Organizing a grassroots phone bank for quick action and for dissemination of impeachment information."

Then comes an appeal for funds. Says Fraser, "The impeachment phone bank takes money." Certainly does. But where is it coming from?

There are labor leaders on the ADA board. There is cooperation from the United Mine Workers, whose president Arnold Miller is soon to get on the ADA high command. There he will join Joe Rauh, Jr., the lawyer who made him the miners' president. Also the machinists and the communication workers, the unions which bolted in 1968 when ADA excoriated and excommunicated Hubert Humphrey, are virtually back in the fold.

Fraser, it can be argued, should be more judicious. He is the head or deputy chief of a number of Democratic groups. He has to vote for or against Dick Nixon's indictment. Therefore it can be assumed, without benefit of Sherlock Holmes's curved pipe, that he and his band of ADA Congressmen long ago made up their mind to remove the President from office.

And since his vote for indictment, or impeachment, is guaranteed, he and his colleagues are in the hustings with an expensive and expansive campaign to bolster their vote because, as he says in his letter, many Congressmen are "reluctant" to take "this necessary step ... The impeachment vote in the House will be extraordinarily difficult for most House members." So the ADA wants to iron- rod their backbones.

Apparently Don Fraser agrees with Chairman Strauss that what is good for the party is good.

Is this the Fraser- Galbraith interpretation of fair play, innocence before guilt is proven and objective judgment? Or is it just the ADA way?

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:

The Hunt Bribe

WASHINGTON-- The most serious question raised by the White House transcripts is whether President Nixon authorized a bribe payment to Watergate conspirator E. Howard Hunt.

As the reporter who uncovered the hush- money scandals, I have been questioned about the circumstances by both the Watergate prosecutors and Senate investigators. Here are the sordid details:

Scarcely a month after the Watergate burglars were arrested, Hunt wrote a threatening, three- page letter demanding "to contact someone in the White House."

His attorney, William O. Bittman, read the letter to the Nixon campaign committee's attorney, Kenneth W. Parkinson.

"Give us a week," requested Parkinson.

Hunt told Bittman to reply: "No, you get two days."

"Okay," promised Parkinson. "Something will be worked out in a couple of days."

He spoke to John Mitchell, then the campaign chief, who told White House counsel John Dean about Hunt's demand for money. Dean summoned the President's personal attorney, Herbert Kalmbach, to Washington. They held a whispered, sidewalk conference in front of the Hay- Adams Hotel and asked him to raise money for the Watergate defendants.

Stressing the necessity for secrecy, Dean suggested the hush money should be channeled through Anthony Ulasewicz, an ex- New York cop straight out of Damon Runyon.

Kalmbach collected between $210,000 and $230,000, which he delivered in secret packets to Ulasewicz. They kept in touch with one another through pay phones, using code names to identify the people involved in the pay-off.

Hunt was referred to as "the writer," because of his sideline as a novelist. His wife Dorothy, using pay phones and answering to the code name "Chris," passed out hush money in sealed envelopes to other Watergate defendants.

As their trial date approached, Mrs. Hunt met on Nov. 30, 1972, with Waterbugger James McCord. She warned that the payments would be cut off "unless you fellows agree to plead guilty...and keep your mouths shut."

Four weeks later, we broke the story that the White House wanted the Watergate burglars to enter guilty pleas. "By pleading guilty, the defendants could avoid a public spectacle," we wrote, "and save the White House embarrassment."

But we still couldn't find out who was paying their legal bills. "Who is paying for these high- powered, high- priced attorneys?" we asked in our December 26, 1972, column. By this time, we had succeeded in winning the confidence of some of the Cubans on the Watergate burglary crew. But all they would admit to us was: "We were told when we took the job that we would be taken care of."

They refused, however, to plead guilty. They thought they would get a better break by having their day in court, since they had merely carried out what they had thought to be White House orders.

Suddenly, their hush payments were cut off. We reported on January 11, 1973, that "some of the defendants in the Watergate trial are sending quiet signals to the Nixon Administration that they may start talking before they'll go to prison." We mentioned G. Gordon Liddy and E. Howard Hunt.

We learned, meanwhile, that the Cuban defendants planned to meet at the Arlington Towers across the Potomac from the Watergate to decide whether to give in to the pressure and plead guilty. I arranged with one of them to slip into a nearby room and give me progress reports on their meeting. He told me they had agreed after a heated discussion to plead guilty.

We were able to report on January 15, 1973, that "Hunt agreed to plead guilty, apparently with a tacit understanding that he wouldn't have to spend too long in jail. He urged the other defendants privately to follow his example."

Then came the clincher. We reported an offer "to make regular payments to the defendants' families. A $1,000-a- month figure was mentioned. Our sources could not, or would not, identify the men behind the scenes. We can report only that most of the money for the defendants was funneled through Hunt."

President Nixon has claimed he didn't learn about the bribe payments until March 21, 1973. Yet we had reported the story in 950 newspapers more than two months earlier.

The White House transcripts show that John Dean told the President on March 21 that Hunt was demanding an additional $120,000.

"You have no choice but to come up with the $120,000 or whatever it is. Right?" asked the President after much discussion.

"That's right," agreed Dean.

"Would you agree that that's the prime thing that you damn well better get that done?" pressed the President.

"Obviously," said Dean, "he (Hunt) ought to be given some signal anyway."

"(Expletive deleted), get it," directed the President.

A discussion followed about who should arrange the money. White House staff chief H. R. Haldeman mentioned John Mitchell's name.

Immediately following the meeting, Haldeman telephoned Mitchell, who allegedly asked aide Fred LaRue to deliver $75,000 in campaign cash to Hunt. The FBI has established that the money was delivered about 10 o'clock that night to Hunt's attorney.

Mitchell reported back to the White House next day that Hunt was no longer a problem.

Portageville ambulance service begins May 17

PORTAGEVILLE — The Portageville Emergency Ambulance Service is scheduled to begin 24- hour operations May 17 according to Bob Duggins certified emergency medical technician, who said the service will be manned by qualified volunteer firemen.

Duggins, assistant fire chief, and volunteer fireman Bill Foster recently completed a 13-week paramedical training course to become qualified as ambulance attendants.

Four more men are scheduled to be certified by June 17 and two husband- and- wife teams plan to begin the course in July, Duggins said.

"We hope to have at least 14 qualified EMTs. We would like to have as many as we possibly can and be prepared to meet any type of emergency such as a tornado or school bus accident," Duggins remarked.

All Missouri Division of Health requirements and specifications will be fulfilled by the service, Duggins stated.

He emphasized that the emergency ambulance service is authorized to transport patients only to Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti or Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Duggins explained that under state regulations all calls must be considered emergencies and, therefore, patients have to be transported to the nearest available hospital.

"Ambulance attendants are controlled in what procedures to follow," Duggins said, adding, "We have no authority to judge a patient's condition and we are required to take a patient to the nearest hospital.

"If a patient wishes to be transferred to a different hospital, then transferrals will be determined and made by the nearest hospital where the patient is first admitted."

Ambulance calls will be received and dispatched by the city police department. Persons needing an ambulance are instructed to call the department at 379-5500.

The dispatcher then relays the call to the volunteer attendants who are equipped with a tone alert to receive calls at any time wherever they might be.

The city's new fully equipped ambulance will be on display for public inspection Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. at 411 E. Main St.

The unit is equipped with a multi- frequency radio for communications with the county sheriff's department and the Sikeston and Hayti hospitals.

Medical equipment available includes two suction units, one installed in the ambulance and one portable unit four oxygen hook- ups - two installed in the unit and two portable — several types of spine boards and splints; equipment to monitor all vital signs and a cardio- beeper to monitor a patient's heartbeat by a light and earphone while en route to a hospital.

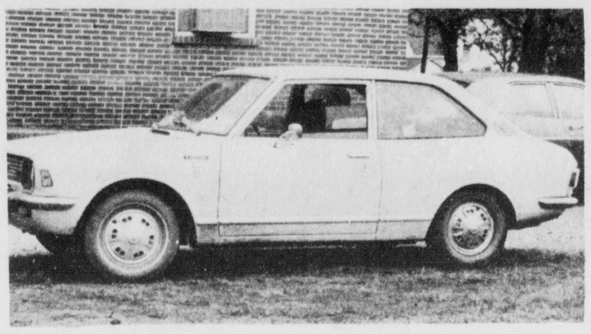
An ambulance trip to the Sikeston hospital will cost $45, and $35 will be charged for patients transported to the Hayti hospital. A $15 fee will be charged for trips within the city to transport invalid patients to local doctors.

In addition, a $5 charge will be made for the use of oxygen, and charges will be made for any disposable supplies used in patient treatment.

Duggins said the service is expected to be approved for use by persons eligible for Medicare and medicaid benefits.

Area of operation is set within a 15- mile radius from Portageville. However, Duggins said this is flexible to allow assistance into other areas should an emergency arise when other ambulances are not available.

Service boundaries announced are Highway 62 on the north; floodway ditches on the west; Mississippi River on the east; and Routes T and VV on the south.



Car object of search

This car and its driver, Lindol Curtis of Portageville were objects of a search Wednesday by Southeast Missouri law enforcement officers. Curtis was wanted in connection with a double slaying near Portageville Tuesday night. Both he and the car were found early Wednesday morning, partially hidden in a barn along a field road west of Marston. Curtis was unconscious when found, apparently from an overdose of drugs, and is in Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., in serious condition.

(Daily Standard Photo)

Caruthersville to vote on city manager issue

CARUTHERSVILLE — Next Tuesday is election day for residents of Caruthersville and Hayti. In Caruthersville, the issue is the city manager form of government. Hayti residents will elect a new mayor.

Caruthersville voters are again being asked whether or not they want to change the present mayor- council form of city government to the city manager type of government.

On Dec. 5, 1972, the voters rejected the same proposal by 89 votes. The vote in 1972 waws 437 for the city manager issue and 526 against.

If the issue passes, the only immediate change would be a special election to elect five aldermen at large to represent the city. The mayor would then be elected by the five aldermen instead of a city- wide vote for mayor.

The five aldermen would then hire a city manager to run the city, subject to dismissal at any time by the council if it was felt the manager was not doing his job.

Dennis Cain, a Caruthersville businessman chairman of the city planning commission, and who helped obtain over 500 signatures on a petition calling for a vote on the proposal, commented:

"Our experience is that a mayor type system is unsatisfactory, inefficient, cumbersome, and a very wasteful form of government. We need someone trained to handle city affairs. I have been in a business in Caruthersville for 40 years and during that time the mayor form has been non- functional. It has not been efficient, or forward- looking, or progressive.

Woodrow Johnson, ward four alderman who was elected by a very narrow margin during the April 2 city election, is a proponent for the mayor- council form of government.

"At the present time with the city in the financial condition it is in, I would have to be stronger against a city manager for lots of reasons. I believe a city manager, a stranger, would have a lesser amount of interest than a local person who has helped build the city for the last 30 or 40 years," he said.

Chaffee plant may construct new building

CHAFFEE — Florsheim Shoe Co. has initiated preliminary discussions with the Chaffee Chamber of Commerce for plans to construct a new enlarged factory at the industrial park located at the north boundary of the city on the west side of Highway 77.

Dan Bollinger, chamber president, announced the company's action to the Chaffee City Council Monday night. He said the move would require that the city provide a paid access road to the site and two or three proposals from the chamber and city regarding building, property, size and location.

The council appointed Mayor Sally Wehmeyer, and Councilmen Morris Welsh and George Allwood to serve on a committee with Bollinger which will meet with Florsheim representatives to discuss the alternative plans.

The company's present plant facility in Chaffee, owned by the Chaffee Civic Development Co., contains 55,000 square feet of floor space. The proposed new plant would contain between 65,000 and 75,000 square feet.

Alternative plans to be discussed would include the development company constructing the new building and leasing it to the firm, the city constructing the building and leasing it to the firm or the shoe company constructing the building.

The 57- acre industrial park tract is presently leased as farmland. Richard Enderle has been awarded the lease for the current year with a bid of $2,009.07, the high bid of two received for the property.

He has made a verbal agreement with the council that he will relinquish the property to the city if and when the factory becomes a reality.

River stages

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	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	21.3	-.7
Cape Girardeau	32	26.5	-.5
New Madrid	34	21.9	+.2
Caruthersville	32	22.3	Sta

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .8 Friday; fall 1.0 Saturday; and fall 1.0 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .8 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .9 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .3 Friday; fall .6 Saturday; and fall .5 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .5 Friday; fall .1 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	17.6	-.2
Paducah	39	18.6	-.1
Grand Chain	42	29.2	-.2
Cairo	40	30.8	-.2

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall .1 Friday; fall .1 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall .1 Friday; fall .5 Saturday; and fall .7 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .6 Saturday; and fall 1.0 Sunday.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, ILL. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hogs 8,000; butchers 75-1.00 lower. Sows 50-1.00 lower.

US 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 28.00, US 1-3 200-230 lb 28.0028.25; 230-250 lbs 26.50-28.00.

US 1-3 300-350 lb sows 23.00; 350-600 lbs 22.50-23.00.

Boars, all weights 22.50-23.00.

Cattle 1,000; supply mostly feeders for regular Thursday auction. Cows steady.

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Chaffee sewer project nears completion

CHAFFEE — The Chaffee sewer project, including main trunk line pipes, lift stations, and a new lagoon- type disposal, is nearing completion after being bogged down for over a year, according to James Harbison, superintendent of H & B Construction Co. of Matthews, and a subcontractor, C. B. Construction Co. of Eldon.

The south end of Chaffee will pump sewage through the new lagoon in approximately three weeks.

The north end of Chaffee, if the weather permits, should be pumping sewage through the new lagoon in approximately 30 to 45 days.

Harbison explained that the plan originally called for completion in a 10- month period beginning in May 1972. Wet weather delays, cave- ins and one things and another have brought about approximately $39,000 loss to the H & B Co. due to the numerous delays, Harbison said.

Each time a lift station is installed or a main trunk line is run at the required depth, well points are driven into the ground and the water level lowered to permit working conditions.

Burglars take auto equipment

Burglars stole several items at Sikeston Auto Salvage, 1615 W. Malone Ave., and took a tape player from a truck, police said today.

Taken late Wednesday night or early this morning were a steering wheel, two stereo speakers, a signal light switch and three carburetors.

The items were valued at $165.

A stereo tape player was stolen between 8 and 9:15 p.m. Wednesday from a pickup truck belonging to John Parks of Morehouse, while the truck was parked at Clayton Avenue Missionary Baptist Church.

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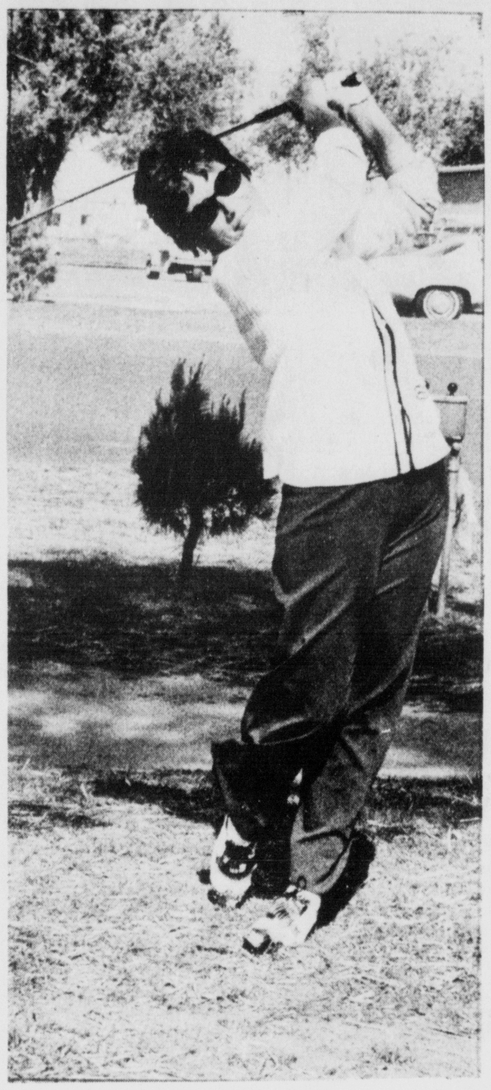
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Golf fashions

These members of the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association show off their form as they model clothes for golfing. The pictures, taken Tuesday, show clothing used on cooler days, including sweaters, slacks, jackets and Jamaica shorts. On warmer days, culottes, halter tops, etc., show up on the course.

Golf interest increases

By JUDY STRICKLIN

"There are a lot more women in golf now that the sport is being promoted by bigger tournaments," according to Mrs. Evelyn Warf, president of the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association, who said more women are participating locally, as well as nationally.

Mrs. Tatty Tope, the SLGA tournament chairman, was quick to add that there are 52 members in the association who play every Tuesday at Sikeston Country Club, which is the most the organization has ever had.

"New golfers, or beginners, play nine holes at first and then graduate into 18- hole play with the other members," Mrs. Warf added, "and most women would rather be taught by a man than a woman." She and Mrs. Tope both believe that is due to the fact that golf was first a man's game and that women don't like to be shown up by other women.

Mrs. Betty Dawson, considered the women's pro at Sikeston Country Club, said that as far as clubs, irons, putters, etc., are concerned, it is mostly a matter of individual taste. "Some women could probably play golf with four clubs," she said. "Others need all the clubs in their bag."

Of the women in the Sikeston Ladies Golf Association, which consists of women members of the country club, three are considered good enough for pro- am tournament play, in which amateur golfers are paired with professionals to form a team. The three are Betty Dawson, Mary Bain and Brownie Urban.

Mrs. Bain is a past winner of the women's Southeast Missouri Tournament, an annual event held last year at Charleston. This year the women's event will be on the Cape Girardeau Jaycee course.

The next tournament at Sikeston Country Club is scheduled May 28 when the women will host a doubles scramble for women of the area.

"There are also four classes for women golfers," explained Mrs. Dawson, "Championship, Class A, Class B and Class C. Championship is the highest, and women work their way up the classes as they become better golfers."

"Sikeston Ladies Golf Association has two tournaments annually," Mrs. Tope said. "These are the Sikeston handicap event and the Sikeston club championship. That helps keep some of the competition local," she explained.

Golf clothing varies according to the weather, the women agreed. In cooler weather, slacks, sweaters, etc., are worn, and in the summer, everything from shorts and golf skirts to culottes and pants, halter and tank tops and sleeveless blouses are seen. Women's golfing outfits also include golf shoes and gloves.

"I think golf is becoming more popular," Mrs. Warf concluded, "because the sport is being pushed more. People hear more about it, and they're curious. So they find out, and once they get into the sport, I believe they truly enjoy themselves."

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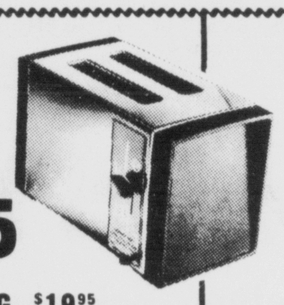
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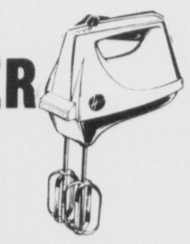
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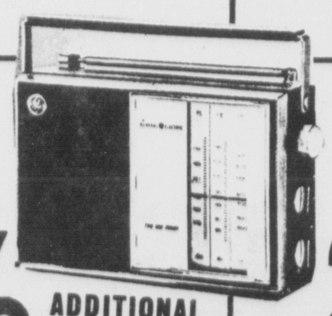
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Wheelchair people capable of having sexual relations

Dear Ann Landers: Thank you for printing that wonderful letter from the young woman in the wheelchair. I hope she gets her chance to be someone's sweetheart or wife.

You missed an important opportunity, Ann. Why didn't you make it clear that just because a person is in a wheelchair doesn't mean he or she can't enjoy sex. Yes, even men and women who are paralyzed from the neck down. This is a fact that a great many people aren't aware of.

It's still not too late to let them know. Please print this letter and add a word or two of your own.-- One Who Has Been There

Dear Been There: Thank you for giving me an opportunity to pass on this useful information. Of course, you are right. The medical explanation is too intricate to go into here, but it IS a fact that most wheelchair people are capable of having sexual relations. In some instances, special counseling to overcome psychological problems may be needed, but physically, they can perform as well as anyone else.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a 21- year- old woman who is built like a 12- year- old boy. Will you please tell me where I can get silicone injections? Please read my question carefully. I am NOT asking what you think of the idea, I am asking where I can find a doctor who will give me the injections. I'm flat as a board and hate the way I look.-- Bustless Bootsie

Dear Boot: I hope you will not feel that I am overstepping my bounds when I tell you what the LAW thinks of silicone injections. They are considered dangerous and have been declared illegal. It seems that several women who had silicone shots developed tumors in various parts of the body and serious medical problems resulted.

Silicone implants, however, can be a safe and satisfactory approach to breast enlargement. Many plastic surgeons perform this operation and you can learn who in your vicinity does it by asking your own family doctor or contacting the County Medical Society.

Dear Ann Landers: I just want your readers to know that the world isn't all bad. There are still a lot of good people around.

My mother was driving and we were going toward town. A car to the right of us ran a red light and hit us broadside. I was scared stiff. My mother's head hit the windshield and she had blood all over her face. I am 17 and thought I was very grown- up, but when something like that happens you get young again awfully fast.

People came running to help us from every direction. Someone called the police. Another person called an ambulance. Somebody brought over an ice pack and towels for Mother. The kindness from these strangers was just beautiful.

The people in the other car stopped and accepted the blame. They didn't try to lie out of it like some people would. A young mother was hurt in the accident. I pray to God that she will be O. K. Please sign me-- Things Are Good In Nampa, Idaho

Dear Nam: Of course there are a lot of wonderful people around. The trouble is they don't make news, so we rarely hear about them. Thank you for writing.

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MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT 5-9-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	121	120	0	1
Pediatrics	23	10	0	13
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: 2

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:
Geneva M. Carr, Charleston
Melody Kenser, Morley
Eric Williams, Sikeston
Billy M. Bradley, East Prairie
Ernest Taylor, Sikeston
Vera C. Gimlin, Sikeston
Nelda Kimes, Portageville
Juanita Hoss, East Prairie
Addie Phillips, Portageville
Mamie Givens, Sikeston
Lillian N. Riley, Lilbourn
Marie E. Leible, Charleston
Bernice Hudson, Sikeston
Alpha Owens, East Prairie
Robert M. Carter, New Madrid

Total patients discharged	15
Total patients admitted	22
Births	0
EMERGENCY DEPT.	
Accident patients	6
Medical patients	34
Others	23
Total emergency patients	63

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
John McCall, Jackson
Mauberine Sarfs, Cape Girardeau
Susie Thomas, Chaffee
Anna Marie Brinker, Oran
Brenda Sitz, McGee
Released:
Patricia Angel, Lutesville
Opal Bradshaw, Sikeston
Ida Stroder, Cape Girardeau
Genevieve Watson, Chaffee

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Shirley Simpson, Bernie
Eugene James, Bernie
Mary Forkum, Dexter
Lilian McCulley, Morehouse
Released:
Clyde Quinn, Bloomfield
Patricia Clark, Essex
Leveda Hopkins, Bloomfield
James Burton, Bloomfield
Ruby Moore, Malden
Charles Dean, Bernie
Phyllis Roach, Sikeston
Robert Cooksey, Sikeston
Myrtle Williams, Dexter
Lula Crabb, Dexter
Stanley Bolin, Dexter
Rolan Pyke, Dexter

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Pam Teeler, Caruthersville
Eva Gravett, Caruthersville
Marie Pratt, Caruthersville
Albert Carnell, Hayti
Dempsey Cornell, Hayti
Thelma Fair, Hayti
Sol Plad, Hayti
David Wilburn, Steele
Clay Lamb, Steele
Annette Graham, Wardell
William McPherson, Wardell
Beatrice Sullivan, Portageville
Released:
Reginald Hall, Hayti
Elizabeth Reeves, Caruthersville
Jerry Jones, Deering
Handoma Hammra, Deering
Marvin Jones, Lilbourn

Meetings

MONDAY

The Kings Highway Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Harry Warren Jr. at 1304 E. Cyprus St., Charleston, for installation of officers.

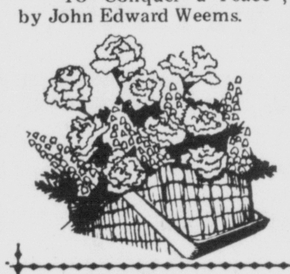
TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mary Ann Maevers, 922 Hawthorne Drive. Glenna Priday will present the program.

New books at Sikeston library

Fiction:
"Cashelmara", by Susan Howatch.
"Malevil", by Robert Merle.
"The Voyage Unplanned", by Frank Yerby.
"In Connection With Kilshaw", by Peter Driscoll.
"The Reason For Roses", by Babs Deal.
"The Wild Hunt", by Jill Tattersall.

Non -Fiction:
"The Anderson Papers", by Jack Anderson.
"Times to Remember", by Rose Kennedy.
"Monarchs In Waiting", by Walter Curley.
"Hunting Upland Birds", by Charles Waterman.
"Horns In the High Country", by Andy Russell.
"To Conquer a Peace", by John Edward Weems.



35 attend golf meeting

Marlene Kruger and Wanda Leonard were hostesses for the Ladies Golf Association meeting Tuesday morning at Sikeston Country Club. Thirty -five women attended a breakfast and played golf.

Winners in the 18 -hole competition were Mickey Atchison, championship class; Jene Waters, A class; Doris Wylie, B class; Marlene Kruger, C class; and Dorothy Jobe, who won first in nine -hole competition.



Women's Page

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Scott resigns Matthews post

NEW MADRID — Ray Melton, superintendent of New Madrid County R-1 Enlarged School District, today announced the resignation of Joe Scott as administrator of the Matthews unit.

Scott's resignation will be effective Friday so he can immediately become engaged in a farming operation in Pemiscot County in which he has purchased an interest.

He has been unit administrator at Matthews for three years and is also high school principal there.

The Scott family will move to the Hayti area.

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Judiciary Committee gets first chance at tapes

WASHINGTON (A) — The House Judiciary Committee is getting its first look at the celebrated briefcase full of grand jury evidence relating to President Nixon's role in the Watergate cover-up.

The material, forwarded to the committee for its impeachment inquiry by Judge John J. Sirica of U.S. District Court, has been examined by the chairman, ranking Republican member and chief staff lawyers, but has not been available to committee members until today.

Now, after months of being kept in the dark about it and other evidence gathered by the impeachment staff, the committee will start considering the case for and against Nixon's impeachment.

The opening of the crucial phase of the inquiry will be marked by a round of speeches in public session, after which the committee will go into executive session to consider evidence bearing on the Watergate break-in and cover-up.

Chairman Peter W. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., said Wednesday the closed sessions probably would continue through next week, after which a decision will be made on opening them.

Another decision facing the committee is what to do about Nixon's refusal to give it any more Watergate material. The committee has subpoenaed tapes of 42 presidential conversations dealing with Watergate and has a request pending for 76 more.

At a Democratic caucus Wednesday there was unanimous support for issuing a new subpoena, but divided opinion on when it should be issued and what it should cover.

The most likely course to be followed was suggested by the senior Republican, Rep. Edward Hutchinson of Michigan, at a news conference with Rodino.

Hutchinson said that when gaps appear in the presentation of evidence and Chief Counsel John Doar says they could be filled by material sought from the White House, the committee could decide then whether to request it again.

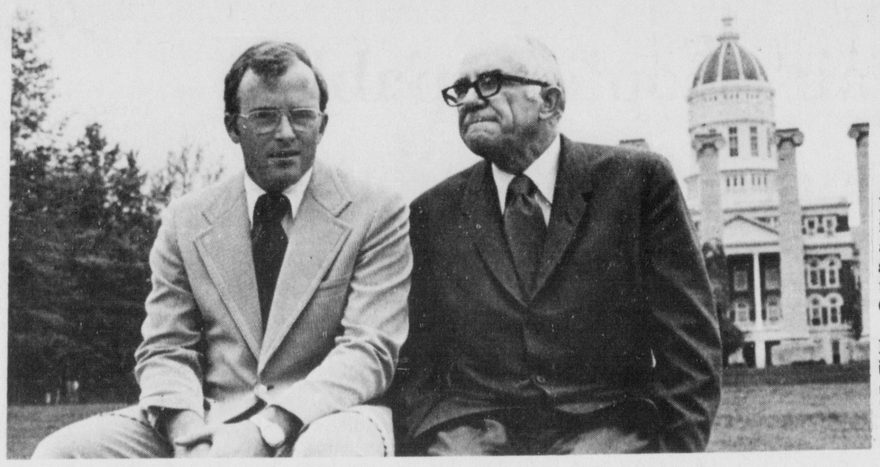
Hutchinson said that rather than issue a subpoena, he would prefer to negotiate the matter with Nixon's lawyer, James D. St. Clair, who will be in the committee room during the presentation.

But the Democrats and Doar appear to prefer a subpoena. Doar said at the news conference the issuance of a subpoena is the orderly, lawful way to proceed.

"It isn't a question of whether we will issue a subpoena, but when," said Rep. Charles Rangel, D-N.Y.

Rodino said the opening phase of the presentation of evidence will be limited to Watergate, one of six areas of presidential conduct the committee is investigating.

Rodino said it probably will be the end of June before the committee is ready to vote on whether grounds exist for impeachment.



Relaxing on campus

Charles Stamp Jr., left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stamp of 717 Sikes Ave., Sikeston, relaxes on the University of Missouri- Columbia campus with Chancellor Herbert W. Schooling. Stamp has been chosen as one of the marshals who will lead their divisional classmates in the procession to the 132nd annual commencement exercises at 3 p.m in Hearnes Auditorium.

Sikeston man will be marshal at UMC graduation exercises

COLUMBIA — Charles Stamp Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Stamp of 717 Sikes Ave., Sikeston, will be one of the marshals leading their divisional classmates in the procession for the 132nd annual commencement exercises at University of Missouri- Columbia, according to Chancellor Herbert W. Schooling.

The marshals are chosen from ranking members of their graduating class, based on their scholastic record.

Some 4,200 students will receive degrees during exercises, which are scheduled at 3 p.m. Saturday in Hearnes Auditorium.

Stamp will be one of two marshals leading graduating students from the School of Law.

Stamp, who has been a law clerk for City Attorney Manuel Drumm in Sikeston for the last two summers, will continue in that capacity this summer. He and his wife, the former Judith Anne Long of Cape Girardeau, will live at 518 Park Ave. in Sikeston.

A 1967 graduate of Sikeston High School, he graduated in 1971 from Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau.

While attending the University of Missouri School of Law, Stamp was a member of the Student - Faculty Moot Court Committee. He received the Roscoe Anderson Award for excellence in Junior Case Club competition and was a member of the school's national moot court team.

He is a member of the international legal fraternity of Phi Delta Phi and has received a certificate of merit for his services as exchequer of the Columbia chapter.

The senior student recipient of the Guy A. Thompson Memorial Scholarship, Stamp was elected to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" for the 1973-74 school year.

Kissinger, Faisal to discuss American technical aid

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger flew to Saudi Arabia today to talk to King Faisal about American technical aid for the economic development of the desert kingdom and to seek the monarch's support for a disengagement agreement between Syria and Israel.

In an unusually warm welcoming statement, Foreign Minister Omar Saquaf said the Saudi people "cherish nothing but amity and friendliness for the people of the United States." But he added that the American people should know that the Saudis are a religious Moslem people who "will not be swayed."

After seeing Faisal, Kissinger was flying to Cairo to brief President Anwar Sadat on the progress of his negotiations with Syria and Israel.

The secretary is counting on both Faisal and Sadat, as well as Algerian President Houari Boumedienne, to influence the Syrians to settle for only a partial Israeli withdrawal from the Golan Heights.

Meanwhile, both Americans and Israelis reported some progress in Kissinger's talks with the Syrians and Israelis.

It was the first time Israeli sources reported progress in the negotiations to separate the warring forces on the Golan Heights. American officials said a disengagement agreement was "a little more likely." But one American source cautioned that an agreement was "far away."

Kissinger traveled to Damascus on Wednesday with new Israeli proposals and returned to Jerusalem with the Syrian reaction. "The discussions have now reached a very concrete stage," said Israeli Foreign Minister Abba Eban after a three-hour meeting with Kissinger.

An authoritative Israeli source said the Syrians did not completely reject the Israeli proposals. The source said Kissinger brought back a series of comments on th Israeli plan, not a counter proposal.

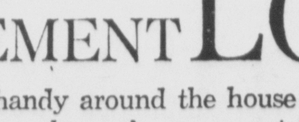
One U.S. official said Kissinger was beginning to detect a "glimmer of understanding" between Syria and Israel.

Israel now is offering to surrender the 300 square miles of Syrian territory taken in the October 1973 fighting; to give up the eastern half of the abandoned town of Kuneitra, half a mile inside the Golan Heights territory seized in the 1967 war, and a Syrian village near a strategic road junction 12 miles to the south, and to relinquish positions on the peaks of Mt. Hermon.

However, Syria would get control only of part of the 300-square-mile parcel; the rest would be included in a United Nations buffer zone between the two armies.

Syrian sources said an agreement was near on composition of the U.N. force to man the buffer zone. Damascus wanted the force made up of unarmed observers while Jerusalem wanted armed troops, like those on the Egyptian front.

Kissinger is scheduled to return to Israel on Friday, and American officials said his diplomatic shuttle would run into next week.



Early Greek dolls had giraffe necks and small legs.

Ford Motors raises prices on '74 models

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. has raised prices on its 1974-model cars and trucks an average $163, becoming the second auto maker this month to draw the ire of the federal Cost of Living Council.

Council Director John T. Dunlop blasted Wednesday's increase as "unwarranted" and charged it was a violation of the firm's voluntary agreement last December to limit price boosts.

But Ford insisted the hike was needed because of "unprecedented cost increases."

"The company's price increase is totally cost-justified and is consistent with commitments made last December to the Cost of Living Council," said Ford Vice President John B. Naughton.

When the council lifted controls on the auto industry in December, Ford, General Motors and American Motors agreed to limit wholesale price hikes to $150 for the remainder of the model year, barring "unforeseen major economic events."

A council spokesman said Wednesday that GM had notified the council it also plans a new price increase but that details were not available. GM, which has raised wholesale prices an average $301 a vehicle since September, declined to elaborate.

Chrysler, which refused to join the voluntary commitment, boosted prices an average $122 on May 1, also drawing criticism from Dunlop. The increase brought its total increase since September to $416 a vehicle.

American Motors, which has increased prices $234 since September, said Wednesday it had "no intention of raising prices at this time."

Ford's latest price boost, its fourth since September, included $113 (2.4 per cent) on the base sticker price and $50 (1.1 per cent) for optional equipment made standard. Excluding the change for options, Ford has increased prices an average $404 a vehicle since the end of the 1973 model run.

Ford said that even with the latest increase it still is left with unrecovered cost increases averaging $98 a vehicle.

The cost council currently lacks authority to curb prices, but one council source in Washington said the Ford move could affect pending legislation to give the council such authority.

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1974 MERCURY
Marquis 4-door. Full Power and air conditioned.

1974 COMET
2-door, 250-6 Cylinder engine, automatic transmission.

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Pickup.

1971 PONTIAC
GTO 2 door, air conditioning, power steering, automatic transmission.

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Fury III 4 door

1970 FORD
Maverick 2-door. 6 Cylinder, Automatic Transmission.

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GOP leader suggests Nixon consider resigning

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Republican Leader John Rhodes said today that President Nixon "ought to consider resignation as a possible option" if it becomes apparent that erosion of public confidence prevents him from effectively discharging his duties.

"I do not feel that we have yet reached that point," Rhodes said.

Rhodes made the comment in a prepared statement issued after a breakfast with a group of newsmen at which he first spelled out his views.

Rhodes also confirmed in the statement that in response to a direct question he had said, "that at this particular time — May 9, 1974 — the President is not having an over-all beneficial effect on the prospects of the Republican party."

But Rhodes said that situation could change tomorrow.

Rhodes also said that, while he is concerned about Republican prospects in the upcoming November elections, "what happens to the party is essentially extraneous to the issue of the President's continuation in office. That is a matter that is being reviewed by the House Judiciary Committee at the present time."

A participant in a breakfast session Rhodes held with a small group of newsmen quoted him as saying a reassessment of Nixon's position should be dictated by the impact of public release of some of his edited Watergate transcripts.

Rhodes said the transcripts are "devastating" and have drawn a heavily unfavorable public response.

Rhodes was quoted as saying he thinks Nixon can remain in office but declared when asked about a possible resignation:

"I don't know but in view of the developments of the last few days there has got to be some soul searching going on. When responsible people read the transcripts and change their position, the President ought to take that under consideration."

Asked if key congressional Republicans might go to Nixon privately and recommend that he resign, Rhodes was quoted as responding, "I know of no definite plan at this time."

The House GOP leader said he did not rule out resignation as an option but had not personally come to the conclusion that Nixon should do so.

He reported that his own mail, largely based on reaction to the transcripts Nixon released last week, was running 10 to 1 against the President.

Asked if he thought Nixon could govern effectively, Rhodes was quoted as saying:

"At the present moment I think he can, but the present situation is volatile."

Any further erosion of support for Nixon, he said, might force a reappraisal.

Rhodes also was quoted as saying:

"I feel that if Nixon comes to the conclusion that he can no longer be effective as President, he will do something about it."



Demon exhibited

Mrs. Bebe Matthews show a demon from her collection of religious art to members of the Lions Club. Mrs. Matthews exhibited part of her collection at the club's noon meeting Wednesday.

(Daily Standard Photo)

Religious art collection shown to Lions Club

Mrs. Bebe Matthews brought part of her collection of religious art from around the world to the Lions Club meeting at noon Wednesday.

The items she brought consisted of devils and demons from many different religions.

Westerners always gloss over the dark side of life, Mrs. Matthews said, but in other parts of the world, this isn't so.

For instance, we often connect snakes with evil and, while other religions do also, they worship the snake. Even Buddha sits on a snake, she said.

While Christians recognize the deveil but don't worship him, people in other religions worship both good and evil spirits, she said.

Many modern psychologists are beginning to recognize that, people have what's called duality— good and bad— in them, she said. Each man has a certain amount of female in him, each woman a certain amount of man.

Other religions recognize this, also, and many gods are shown as half male and half female, Mrs. Matthews explained while showing club members statues of half male and half female figures.

In the Asian subcontinent, one of the principal gods is Kali, who represents the dark side of women. Kali symbolizes death and is always represented with a skull or a necklace of human skulls.

People of other religions recognize that humans have both good and bad sides and take that into account in their lives and religions, she said.

Robert Turnbull, 106 Autumn Drive, won a Lions Club sponsored fishing trip in a drawing held at the luncheon.

3 arrests announced

Police today announced the arrest of Larry Gene Mayabb of East Prairie for driving on a suspended license; Dennis Ray White, 101 Powers Drive, indecent exposure; and Archie Mike Dorris, 118 William St., careless and imprudent driving.

Price increases slowdown in April

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sharp declines in farm and food prices slowed the rise in wholesale prices in April to its slowest rate in six months, the government reported today.

The Labor Department said wholesale prices increased seven-tenths of one per cent seasonally adjusted and five-tenths of one per cent unadjusted.

The increase was still high by normal standards but considerably below increases recorded since November.

April's rise compared with adjusted increases of 1.3 per cent in March, 1.2 per cent in February and 3.1 per cent in January.

Despite the slowdown in farm and food prices, there was no hint that the inflationary surge was abating.

Industrial prices, regarded as one of the surest barometers of inflation, jumped an adjusted 2.3 per cent in April. In March industrial prices climbed 2.9 per cent.

Farm products, processed foods and feeds declined for the second consecutive month, dropping an adjusted 3 per cent and an unadjusted 3.7 per cent.

The Agriculture Department predicted Wednesday that food prices would begin to level off during the second half of the year and possibly even decline in the final quarter.

Wholesale prices rose 18.8 per cent in the past 12 months. Changes in wholesale prices usually are reflected later at the retail level.

April's increase lifted the government's wholesale price index to 155.3. That means it cost $155.30 to buy the same volume of wholesale goods that $100 purchased in 1967.

The big rise in industrial prices reflected in part the dropping of price controls from various industries.

Metal products accounted for almost one-third of the total increase. Iron and steel scrap rose 14.7 per cent and steel mill products increased 2.7 per cent.

Price increases by industries freed from price controls appeared to be cracking the Cost of Living Council's heralded anti-inflation commitments for big business unless Congress votes to hold them together.

Ford Motor Co. announced price increases Wednesday averaging $163 for its 1974 autos, and the council said General Motors planned to follow suit.

Wholesale prices for April reflected other increases in a wide variety of materials.

Machinery and equipment rose 1.4 per cent. Lumber products jumped 4.7 per cent and furniture products 1.3 per cent.

Most fuels also jumped in price with the exception of refined petroleum products which declined 1.6 per cent. Coal prices rose 17.1 per cent; coke 16.4 per cent and electric power 3 per cent.

Decreases for grains, livestock, oil seed, live poultry, raw cotton, eggs and milk dropped the index for farm products 5.5 per cent. However, fresh and dried fruits and vegetables went up in price.

The government said the decline in refined petroleum products would not accurately reflect price changes in the marketplace.

Because of this, the Labor Department said, beginning next month pricing data will be collected directly from petroleum companies rather than from spot quotations published in the trade journal which represents a decreasing portion of the fluctuations in domestic markets.

Over the past three months, wholesale prices have increased on an adjusted annual rate of 13.5 per cent. Over the past year, industrial commodity prices have risen 20.7 per cent while farm and food prices advanced 14.7 per cent.

Bernie officer acquitted in rights case

CAPE GIRARDEAU — A federal jury deliberated less than an hour Tuesday in U. S. District Court before acquitting Bernie city policeman David L. Moore on a charge of violating the civil rights of a motorist he had arrested.

Moore, 33, had been charged with the federal misdemeanor in connection with allegations levied by David F. Williamson, 31, last year. Williamson arrested for driving while intoxicated and reportedly refusing to tak chewing gum from his mouth when the officer requested him to submit to a breathalyzer test for intoxication.

Williamson filed a civil rights complaint with the U. S. Department of Justice alleging he had been beaten by Moore. A physician testified during the two-day trial that he had treated Williamson for minor scratches and bruises after a scuffle that occurred at the Bernie police station.

U. S. District Judge Kenneth H. Wagelin presided at the trial.

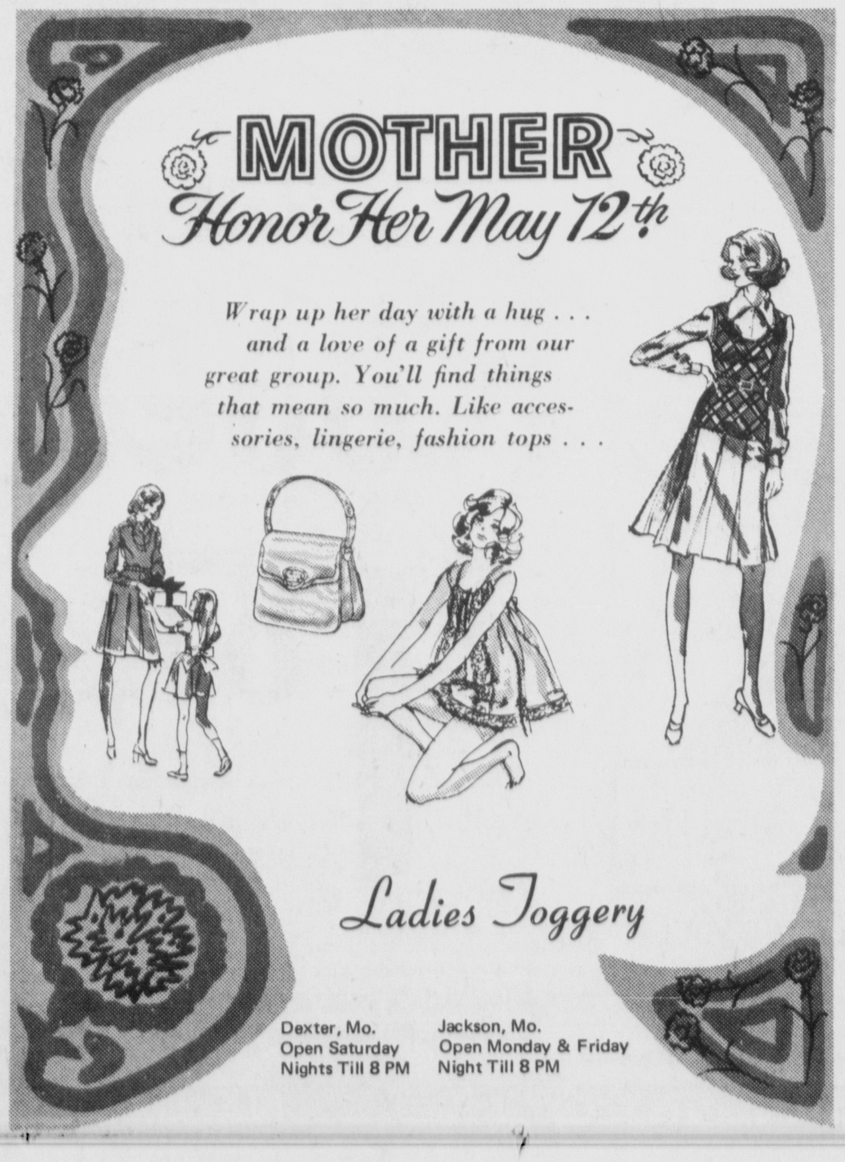
6 accident injuries treated

Six accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Elizabeth Sikes, 12, Sikeston, cut left hand in fall off unicycle; Woodie Robinson, 49, Matthews, dislocated left ankle while running a horse; Paul Long, 39, Parma, fractured left little finger at work.

Bobby Daniels, 33, New Madrid, bruised right arm in fall; James Sager, 17, Charleston, fractured index finger in fall; and Calvin Hatchett, 18, Sikeston, twisted and strained right ankle.

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ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.	
Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	1 105 717	79	1
U.S. Treasury securities	710 757	00	2
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	2 205 884	44	3
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2 001 898	02	4
Other securities (including $ None corporate stock)	16 500	00	5
Trading account securities	none		6
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	600 000	00	7
Loans	6 577 154	87	8
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	157 667	03	9
Real estate owned other than bank premises	none		10
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"	none		11
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	none		12
Other assets (including $ direct lease financing)	9 979	05	13
TOTAL ASSETS	13 585 558	20	14
LIABILITIES			
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4 020 213	09	15
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	7 066 459	85	16
Deposits of United States Government	21 206	88	17
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1 218 352	21	18
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	none		19
Deposits of commercial banks	3 790	77	20
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	32 482	32	21
TOTAL DEPOSITS $ 12,362,505.12			22
(a) Total demand deposits $ 4,173,408.60			(a)
(b) Total time and savings deposits $ 8,189,096.52			(b)
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	none		23
Liabilities for borrowed money	none		24
Mortgage indebtedness	none		25
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	none		26
Other liabilities	5 150	00	27
TOTAL LIABILITIES	12 367 655	12	28
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES			29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	105 129	98	30
Other reserves on loans	none		31
Reserves on securities	none		32
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	105 129	98	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
Capital notes and debentures	none		34
___% Due _____ $ _____			
___% Due _____ $ _____			
Equity capital-total	1 112 773	10	35
Preferred stock-total par value	none		36
No. shares outstanding none			
Common Stock-total par value	300 000	00	37
No. shares authorized 10,000			
No. shares outstanding 10,000			
Surplus	200 000	00	38
Undivided profits	612 773	10	39
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	none		40
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1 112 773	10	41
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	13 585 558	20	42
MEMORANDA			
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	12 404 928	00	1
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	6 397 745	63	2
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	161 763	71	3
Standby letters of credit	none		4

I, William H. Waltrip, Jr., of the above-named bank do
(Name and title of officer authorized to sign report)
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William H. Waltrip

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W. E. Kinsey
A. C. Riley

Directors.

Qulin man gets minor injuries

QULIN — A Qulin man received minor injuries in a one- car accident Wednesday one-mile north of the Oglesville Community on Route N in Butler County.

The accident occurred at 7:20 p.m. when a pickup truck driven by James Brumitt, 65, ran off the road, struck a mailbox and ran into a field.

He was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff for treatment.

Debate proposal off

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, D-Mo., has withdrawn his proposal for a series of three statewide televised debates with Thomas B. Curtis of St. Louis, the man Eagleton considers to be "my likely Republican challenger."

The senator issued a statement Wednesday night which said communications he has received from Curtis have failed to deal directly with the matter of the debates. Rather than continuing "in an interminable exchange of correspondence" that fails to reach an agreement, "each of us will have to go our own separate ways, including planning fund-raising efforts so as to finance a campaign which will include the use of television and radio advertisements."

Curtis, the former veteran congressman who narrowly lost to Eagleton' in 1968, was unaware of Eagleton's action Wednesday night when he spoke at Warrensburg. He said he has sent two letters to Eagleton seeking clarification of the senator's proposals for the debate and has yet to receive a reply.

Curtis said he is willing to debate Eagleton anytime and anyplace, but he felt three televised debates to be insufficient. He also felt they should not be limited to television.

Curtis proposed that the two candidates and their aides meet with members of the news media to draw up position papers that would be topics for various debates.

Meat processors must comply with new regulations

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Members of the Missouri Locker and Meat Processors Association have been advised they have 60 days to comply with new regulations on meat packaging.

William M. Baker, director of the state weights and measures division said the new rules require meat sellers to specify the type of meat by general category plus the net weight of the meat delivered on the invoice provided the purchaser.

"In the past, it was by individual cuts such as T-bone, rounds, and so forth," Baker said. "Now it is categorized as steaks, roasts, ground meats, stewing or boiling beef or others."

Americans will pay more for summer vacations

Americans planning a vacation trip this summer should be prepared to pay more, start planning sooner and keep a careful eye on the gas gauge.

A nationwide Associated Press survey shows that families are not being scared away from planning summer vacations by high gasoline prices and the memory of winter shortages. But tourism officials say the summer vacationer plans to travel a shorter distance to find his spot in the sun and to stay put longer once he gets there.

The sharp increases in the price of food and energy will hit the summer traveler hard.

Some vacation areas report food and beverage prices up 20 per cent over last year, and federal officials foresee an average nationwide price for gasoline of 60 cents a gallon this summer, up from the current average of 54 cents for regular and 58 cents for premium. Some tourist areas predict it could go as high as 70 cents. Motel and hotel prices are also up in most tourist areas, but not significantly.

The overall effect means you'll pay up to 20 per cent more for the same vacation you took last year.

Many tourist areas suffered between a 20 and 40 per cent decline in business during the winter. But by April most reported business nearly normal again, and some expect a record summer.

The AP survey showed that traveling on Sundays could mean risking running out of gasoline this summer. There will be fewer gasoline stations open on Sundays for two reasons: (1) many stations do not need that day to sell their monthly allocation, and (2) some owners have gotten used to having Sundays off and aren't anxious to work. The American Automobile Association said Tuesday a survey showed 39 per cent of the nation's service stations open Sundays.

The AP survey also shows that most tourist areas have increased their advertising budgets and concentrated their messages much closer to home. Cape Cod resorts, for example, are advertising in a 300-mile radius instead of a normal 700 miles.

Major tourist areas such as Cape Cod, the Poconos, the Smoky Mountains, Southern California and the lake areas of Michigan and Wisconsin are running ahead of or even with 1973 on advance bookings. These areas said some persons who stayed only three or four days in the past are now making reservations for two weeks.

The economical traveler can cut costs. The AP survey found that in some areas the smaller motels and hotels had been hardest hit by the energy crisis and are less likely to be booked for the summer.

And special deals are available in most areas to tourists seeking them. Some of these offer extra nights in motels free of charge if tourists stay a certain length of time. Others include free rooms for children under 12 and free tickets to local points of interest. Tourists seeking these deals should check with chambers of commerce, travel agents and tourist bureaus.

The major concern is the availability of gasoline. Most officials say they're cautiously optimistic there will be enough. However, there is at least a possibility there won't.

The Federal Energy Office says the outlook for summer is that gasoline supplies will be 4 to 6 per cent below potential demand - the amount used in normal times. A recent AP survey showed that citizens are returning to their normal driving habits. If that continues the chances of spot gasoline shortages this summer are strong.

The energy office suggests that travelers seeking information on gasoline check with the American Automobile Association or phone ahead to their destination before leaving.

Some tourist areas- the Berkshires in western Massachusetts and Finger Lakes in New York are two- are setting up hotlines to dispense gasoline information. The Berkshires Hills Conference is offering to buy dinner on Monday nights for any service station owner who stays open on Sundays.

"It's going to cost money," said John Geary, director of the group. "But hell, that's better than being out of business."

Nearly every state is pushing itself — "See Kentucky First" is repeated the country over. Preregistration at the 16 resort state parks in Kentucky is up 15 per cent this year. Officials expect the percentage of their business from state residents to increase from 42 to 55 per cent.

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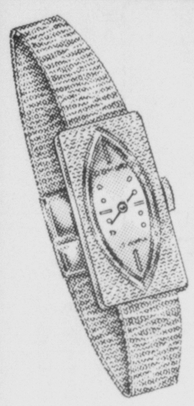
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Committee may produce plan to reduce auto emissions

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — Harvey Shell, the executive secretary of the Missouri Air Conservation Commission, says he will form a committee to produce a plan for reducing auto emissions in the St. Louis area.

Shell said Wednesday night the committee would try to coordinate suggestions from three organizations which he hoped to poll on possible solutions to traffic-related air pollution problems.

The Environmental Protection Agency announced Wednesday that St. Louis was one of several cities which had to come up with a plan by June 1. An EPA official had hinted earlier that the June deadline for the St. Louis area might be extended.

The committee, which would be appointed by Shell, would work from suggestions made by Gateway Council, the East-West Co-Ordinating Council, the Bi-State Development Agency and the Missouri Highway Patrol.

In issuing its announcement, the EPA said that if a plan is not presented by the deadline, the agency will impose its own traffic controls.

Shell, who lives in Columbia, said that whoever imposed the final controls should keep in mind the local residents.

"Their (EPA's) plans before haven't been realistic. They've tried to solve problems which were localized on a regionwide basis, and regionwide problems on a local basis," Shell said.

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Traffic violations head docket

BENTON — Thirty traffic violations headed the docket of cases before Judge Lloyd Briggs Wednesday in Magistrate Court.

Imposition of sentence was deferred until Jan. 8, 1975 against Richard Lee Johns of Oran after he pleaded guilty to a careless and imprudent driving charge.

Thecil Gail Anthony Jr. of Sikeston received a six month suspended jail sentence and was placed on supervised probation for one year after he pleaded guilty to a driving while intoxicated charge.

After pleading guilty to charge of improper registration, Gary Dean Irvin of Sikeston received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was placed on supervised probation for one year.

Fines imposed for speeding included:

James Edward Houston of Sikeston, $105.50; Edward Delene Morgan of Charleston, $27.50; Allen Howard of Sikeston, $31.50; Ross Conner of Cape Girardeau, $41.50; Ronald McAnulty of Marion, Ill., $33.50; Michael Hancock of Jonesboro, Ill., $101.50; Allan Ether Small of Sikeston, $26.50.

James Lambert Drury, $45; James Robert Lane, $17; James Edward West, $15; William Philijaw, $8; Gilbert Williams, $16; Cynthia Ann Arment, $11; Mark Edward Jenkins, $12; George Alcorn, $15; Robert Jones, $15; Ferrel Austin, $11; and Glen Dale Holt, $11.

Fined for other traffic violations were:

Jerry M. Green of St. Louis, permitting unauthorized operator to drive, $40; Ronald Lee Johnson of Sikeston, expired registration $25; Bonnie F. Green of Jackson, no operator license, $5; Michael Leon Simmons of Oran, failure to display certificate of approval and using prohibited plates, $10.

Ricky Michael Washburn of Sikeston, no vehicle license, $25; Alford Griffin Nesler of Bell City, driving without a valid operator license, $50; Lindel Boyde Morris of East Prairie, driving an overlength vehicle, $35; and Robert Lee Brown of Sikeston, improper registration and failure to display a certificate of inspection, $10.

Johnny Wade Guinn of Franklin, Ga., forfeited bond on a careless and imprudent driving charge.

A preliminary hearing for Bradley Paul Dines of Denver, Colo., was set for May 15 on a charge of possessing a roach clip device used for smoking marijuana.

Canalou man elected to Madrid board

CANALOU— Nathaniel Hewitt of Canalou has been elected to the board of directors for Water Supply District No. 4 in New Madrid County.

The water district covers an area from the Delmo colony south of Morehouse to Canalou and the farms between Matthews and Canalou.

Because several of the people who signed contracts when the district was being organized have not hooked up to the system, the board of directors have decided it will be necessary to raise the water rates in order to meet the financial obligations of the district.

The following schedule will go into effect June 1: the first 1,000 gallons, $5; 1,000 to 2,000 gallons, $3.50; 2,000 to 3,000 gallons, $2.50; 3,000 to 4,000 gallons, $1; and any amount over 4,000 gallons 75 cents.

Other board members are David Croom of Sikeston Route Three, president; Donald Hammock of Canalou, treasurer and meter reader; Louise Croom of Sikeston Route Three, clerk; Lee Joe Campbell and Donald Sexton of Canalou; and Bobby King of the Delmo project.

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Jackson stops Eagles, 2-0

BERNIE — The Kelly Hawks, denied a chance at the state basketball championship this season with a one point loss to the eventual state champs in the opening round of the state event, charged into the state baseball playoff bracket behind the no-hit pitching performance of all stater Jeff "Jethro" Jackson Wednesday afternoon and points toward the state title.

Jackson cooled the red hot bats of the Oran Eagles, recording a 2-0 shutout in the district championship game. The big 6-foot-2 athlete walked only two batters and faced 22 during the seven inning contest.

The victory was not easy to come by for the Hawks, who had to rely upon its squeeze play for both runs. Oran played the Hawks tough, allowing a run in the third and fifth innings.

Oran made the finals by posting upset wins over highly favored opponents, but couldn't master the offerings of the KHS ace.

Coach Jim Thornsberry, a former standout at Southeast Missouri State University, relied on his pet play ... the squeeze . to move his team into the regional.

Kelly taged Oran ace Jim Anderson with the defeat. Keith Campbell shared the pitching chories for the Eagles and gave up only a pair of hits.

The Hawks scored in the third as Jamie Burger and Vernon Dirnberger singled, and a walk loaded the bases.

Mike Brasher layed down a bunt to bring home the deciding run. In the fifth, Kenny Urhahn tripled and Brasher repeated his feat with another fine bunt.

Curtis 3-hits Reds

CINCINNATI (AP) — Three former Boston Red Sox players did in the Cincinnati Reds in successive shutouts for the St.Louis Cardinals to sweep the two-game series.

"In spring training, I wouldn't have known either of them if they walked into my office," said Cards Manager Red Schoendienst.

He referred to pitchers Lynn McGlothen, 4-1, who set Cincinnati down with four hits Tuesday night and John Curtis, 2-3, who turned the trick with three hits Wednesday night.

"I know them both now," beamed Schoendienst. "Curtis' control was better, that was a big change. He's got good stuff and if he gets the ball where he wants it he'll win."

Outfielder Reggie Smith, another ex-Red Sox, crashed two hits scoring Lou Brock in the sixth and eighth innings to down Don Gullett, 2-3. He has also been the Reds nemesis for St. Louis which has taken four of five games from the Reds this season and is 11 for 21 at the plate. He has 26 runs batted in and is hitting .375.

All three came to the Cardinals in trades over the winter.

"I knew I wasn't going to start the season bad," said Smith. "When you're happy you plan well and I'm happy just being away from Boston. I always identified with the National League. In Boston there was undo knocking in the media towards me and I wasn't exactly pleased with the guys.

"There were too many immature players who were too busy watching what the other guys did instead of taking care of themselves."

Curtis said he felt in control throughout the game.

"I've been fed up with the early walks and some other bull that I've been doing out on the mound. That's just not me. I just decided to go out there and get with it tonight," he said.

Curtis erased the final 18 men he faced with the help of two double plays turned in by the Cardinals, both involving catcher John Bench who had two Reds hits.

It was the first time the Reds, 1973 Western Division champs, suffered back-to-back shutouts in 142 games.

Reds Manager George "Sparky" Anderson was philosophical about the double loss.

"You run into these things when you're just not hitting. It goes in streaks," he said.

NFL rules-injuries

LOS ANGELES (AP) — New National Football League punt return rules increase the chance of injury, says Dr. Robert Kerlan, noted orthopedic surgeon.

Kerlan is medical director of the National Athletic Health Institute, associate clinical professor or orthopedic surgery at the University of Southern California, and orthopedic consultant for several professional teams, including the Los Angeles Rams of the NFL.

"If the punting team players going down to make the tackle can't leave the line of scrimmage until the ball is in the air, then the receiving team can send in just enough people to make sure the fellow punts," Kerlan said. "They can arrange the rest of their people in a 'picket line,' almost, so that they get tremendous blocking angles on the team comin down to do the tackling.

"The fact that they're going to get more time to produce blockers will undoubtedly mean more injuries in a situation that already has a high injury rate."

He said he doubts increased safety in other areas, such as the rule against the crackback block, will offset increased injuries due to the punt rule.

"There are going to be a lot more punts because they've made the field goal so much more difficult to try or make," he said. "As a doctor, I hope that teams will be kicking out of bounds most of the time."

Outlawing the crackback block increases safety for the linebacker or corner man on the end of the defensive line, Kerlan said.

"Also an improvement is the rule that prevents blocking below the waist at the line of scrimmage, or within three yards of it. This will tend to keep the wide receiver from getting dropped at the line of scrimmage," he said.

Blaylock hitting .366

NOVATO, Calif. — Southeast Missouri's professional baseball players are off and running in the 1974 Minor league campaign as Gary Blaylock of Malden and Steve Coulson of Fisk are off to fine starts in the hitting department, according to The Daily Standards exclusive report from Player Periscope.

Blaylock is 15 for 41 and sporting a hefty .366 batting average for the New York Mets Class A California farm team at Visalia, Calif. Last week Blaylock had 10 hits in 22 times at bat for a .455 batting average for the week.

Coulson is batting .265 for West Haven a New York Yankee farm club in the Eastern AA league. Steve collected 11 hits in 33 at bats for a .333 average last week. He's 13 for 49 on the season.

In the pitching ranks Mark Littell of Gideon and Randy Smith of Arbyrd are off to a fine start in their respective leagues.

Littell has pitched in two games thus far this season for Omaha of the American Association AAA league of the Kansas City Royals and has an 0-1 record with a 2.69 earned run average. He has given up 11 hits and fanned 10 while giving up six bases on balls in 14 innings of pitching.

Smith has a 1-1 record in two starts for Salinas of the California A league for the California Angels. He has pitched 10 innings and allowed nine hits, three bases on balls and struckout three and has an earned run average of 1.80. This past week Randy lost the only game he was involved in allowing six hits and one base on balls.

PITCHING

	G	W	L	IP	H	BB	SO	ERA
Mark Littell, Gideon								
Omaha American ASS. -AAA (Royals)								
Season	2	0	1	14	11	6	10	2.69
Randy Smith, Arbyrd								
Salinas California - A (Angels)								
Season	2	1	1	10	9	3	3	1.80
Week	1	0	1	1	6	1	0	

BATTING

	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	PCT.
Gary Blaylock, Malden Visalia, Calif. California A (Mets)								
Season	41	9	15	3	0	2	4	.366
Week	22	6	10	1	0	1	1	.455
Steve Coulson Fish West Haven Eastern AA (Yanks)								
Season	49	6	13	0	1	1	5	.265
Week	33	5	11	0	1	1	4	.333

Mayberry jumps on Jenkins

Kansas City slugger John Mayberry didn't have to call his own shot Wednesday night against Texas ace Ferguson Jenkins. His manager did it for him.

"Just before John went up to the plate I cautioned him about trying to pull Jenkins' sliders and curves down the line," said Royals' skipper Jack McKeon. "I told him just to aim for the 370-foot sign ... and that is where the ball went."

Mayberry's fifth homer, a two-run shot in the eighth inning, carried over the 370-foot sign in right field and gave the Royals a 4-2 victory over the Rangers, snapping Jenkins' personal five-game win streak and extending the Rangers' losing streak to four.

Elsewhere in the American League, the Boston Red Sox blanked the New York Yankees 4-0; the Oakland Athletics whipped the Baltimore Orioles 7-3; the Cleveland Indians downed the California Angels 32 in 11 innings; and the Chicago-Detroit and Minnesota-Milwaukee games were rained out.

Despite the loss, the Rangers hung on to first place in the West by a half-game over California.

Red Sox 4, Yankees 0

Bill Lee shackled New York on five hits and Carl Yastrzemski contributed a two-run single for Boston. Lee, who evened his record at 3-3, was helped by four double plays. Dick McAuliffe and Dwight Evans drove in the other Red Sox runs with singles.

Athletics 7, Orioles 3

Lefty Vida Blue recorded his first victory after four losses as Oakland snapped a three-game losing streak. Reggie Jackson, Bert Campaneris and Gene Tenace drove in two runs apiece for the A's. Earl Williams clubbed a two-run homer for Baltimore.

Indians 3, Angels 2, 11 innings

Cleveland tied it in the ninth on John Lowenstein's sacrifice fly and won it two innings later when George Hendrick doubled and Ossie Blanco singled him home. The surging Indians have won 10 of their last 12 games and have beaten California six straight times this season. The Angels scored one run while Cleveland was completing a double play and the other on an error by Tribe catcher Dave Duncan.

Wednesday's National League results: Los Angeles 6, Montreal 3; New York 4, San Francisco 2; St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 0; Philadelphia 4, San Diego 0; Houston 8, Pittsburgh 6 in 12 innings; the Atlanta-Chicago game was rained out.

Cardinal Box Score

National at Cincinnati

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	4	2	2	0
Tyson 2b	4	0	0	0
rsmith rf	3	0	2	2
Simmons c	3	0	0	0
Torre 1b	4	0	1	0
Reitz 3b	4	0	1	0
McBride cf	3	0	0	0
Alvardo ss	4	0	0	0
Curtis p	3	0	0	0
Total	32	2	6	2
CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	BI
Rose lf	3	0	0	0
Morgan 2b	4	0	0	0
Bench c	3	0	2	0
TPerez 1b	3	0	0	0
Foster cf	3	0	0	0
Concepcn ss	3	0	0	0
Rettenmd rf	3	0	0	0
Kosco 3b	3	0	1	0
Gullett p	2	0	0	0
Borbon p	0	0	0	0
Gagliano ph	1	0	0	0
Total	28	0	3	0

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Cincinnati 000 000 000—0

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LOB—St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 2.
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	IP	H	R	ER
Curtis	9	3	0	0
Gullett	7 1-3	6	2	2
Borbon	1 2-3	0	0	0

T—1:57. A—9,864. W—Curtis (2-3). L—Gullett (2-3). BB—Curtis 1, Gullett 3. SO—Curtis 4, Gullett 9.

Standings

By The Associated Press
American League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	17	13	.567	—
Cleveland	15	13	.536	1
Baltimore	13	13	.500	2
Detroit	13	13	.500	2
Milwaukee	10	12	.455	3
Boston	12	15	.444	3 1/2
West				
Texas	15	13	.536	—
Chicago	13	12	.520	1/2
California	15	14	.517	1/2
Minnesota	12	12	.500	1
Oakland	13	15	.464	2
Kansas C.	11	14	.440	2 1/2

Wednesday's Results
Chicago at Detroit, ppd., rain
Minnesota at Milwaukee, ppd., rain
Boston 4, New York 0
Kansas City 4, Texas 2
Cleveland 3, California 2, 11 innings
Oakland 7, Baltimore 3
Thursday's Games
New York (Dobson 2-4) at Boston (Tiant 1-4), N
Kansas City (Pattin 0-1) at Texas (Bibby 5-3), N
Only games scheduled
Friday's Games
Baltimore at Cleveland, N
Boston at Detroit, N
Milwaukee at New York, N
Chicago at Texas, N
Minnesota at Oakland, N
Kansas City at California, N

National League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	16	12	.571	—
Philaphia	14	14	.500	2
Montreal	10	11	.476	2 1/2
Chicago	10	13	.435	3 1/2
New York	11	17	.393	5
Pittsburgh	8	16	.333	6
West				
Los Angeles	19	9	.679	—
Houston	19	11	.633	1
San Fran	16	14	.533	4
Cincinnati	12	13	.480	5 1/2
Atlanta	13	15	.464	6
San Diego	14	17	.452	6 1/2

Wednesday's Results
Atlanta at Chicago, postponed
Philadelphia 4, San Diego 0
St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 0
Los Angeles 6, Montreal 3
New York 4, San Francisco 2
Houston 8, Pittsburgh 6, 12 innings
Thursday's Games
Atlanta (Harrison 2-4) at Chicago (Reuschel 1-1)
Pittsburgh (Rooker 1-2) at Houston (Roberts 5-2), N
Los Angeles (Sutton 4-2) at San Diego (McAndrew 1-3 or Greif 2-4), N
Only games scheduled
Friday's Games
New York at Chicago
San Francisco at Atlanta, N
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, N
Houston at Cincinnati, N
St. Louis at Montreal, N
Los Angeles at San Diego, N

FOOTBALL

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FORT COLLINS, Colo. — The governing board of Colorado State University voted not to renew the contract of Athletic Director Perry Moore. The contract expires June 30.

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Leaders

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American League

BATTING (65 at bats)—Carew, Min, .402; R.Jackson, Oak, .392.
RUNS—R.Jackson, Oak, 23; G.Nettles, NY, 19; Rivers, Cal, 19; Mayberry, KC, 19; Campaneris, Oak, 19; D.Nelson, Tex, 19.
RUNS BATTED IN—R.Jackson, Oak, 30; G.Nettles, NY, 26.
HITS—Carew, Min, 43; R.Jackson, Oak, 40.
DOUBLES—Rudi, Oak, 12; Healy, KC, 9.
TRIPLES—White, NY, 4; Garcia, Mil, 3; Valentine, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Otis, KC, 3.
HOME RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 11; R.Jackson, Oak, 11; Yastrzemski, Bsn, 6; W.Horton, Det, 6; F.Robinson, Cal, 6; Burroughs, Tex, 6.
STOLEN BASES—Patek, KC, 12; North, Oak, 9.
PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Hiller, Det, 4-0, 1.000, 0.55
Coleman, Det, 5-1, .833, 3.43
Medich, NY, 5-1, .833, 3.12.
STRIKEOUTS—N.Ryan, Cal, 57; Jenkins, Tex, 48.

National League

BATTING (65 at bats)—R.Smith, StL, .375; Reitz, StL, .370.
RUNS—Brock, StL, 28; Cedeno, Htn, 24; Bonds, SF, 24.
RUNS BATTED IN—R.Smith, StL, 26; Cedeno, Htn, 25.
HITS—R.Smith, StL, 42; Garr, Atl, 41.
DOUBLES—Concepcion, Cin, 11; Rose, Cin, 9; Cedeno, Htn, 9; Garvey, LA, 9.
TRIPLES—A.Oliver, Pgh, 4; Garr, Atl, 3; Geronimo, Cin, 3; Russell, LA, 3; Bonds, SF, 3.
HOME RUNS—Wynn, LA, 8; Aaron, Atl, 7; T.Perez, Cin, 7; Garvey, LA, 7.
STOLEN BASES—Brock, StL, 20; Cedeno, Htn, 15.
PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Koosman, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 2.39
Messrsmth, LA, 3-0, 1.000, 2.18
Freislbn, SD, 3-0, 1.000, 2.59.
STRIKEOUTS—Seaver, NY, 53; Matlack, NY, 44.

Pro basketball

Pro Basketball Playoffs At A Glance
By The Associated Press
All Series Best-of-7
NBA
Finals
Sunday, April 28
Boston 98, Milwaukee 83
Tuesday, April 30
Milwaukee 105, Boston 96, overtime
Friday, May 3
Boston 95, Milwaukee 83
Sunday, May 5
Milwaukee 97, Boston 89
Tuesday, May 7
Boston 96, Milwaukee 87; Boston leads 3-2.
Friday, May 10
Milwaukee at Boston, N
Sunday, May 12
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary

ABA
Finals
Tuesday, April 30
New York 89, Utah 85
Saturday, May 4
New York 118, Utah 94
Monday, May 6
New York 103, Utah 100, overtime
Wednesday, May 8
Utah 97, New York 89; New York leads 3-1
Friday, May 10
Utah at New York, N
Saturday, May 11
New York at Utah, N, if necessary
Tuesday, May 14
Utah at New York, N, if necessary

Prep roundup

THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE
BASEBALL
Charleston at Sikeston
Bernie at Advance
North Pemiscot at Hayti (district)
GOLF
Sikeston at Cape Central
WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
BASEBALL
Kelly 2, Oran 0 (district championship)



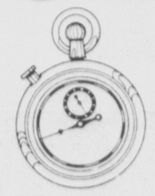
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Murray Lane 8, Fellowship 5
Miner Baptist 23, Shady Acres 18
Methodist 10, First Baptist 8
Presbyterian 12, Catholic 10
May 2
Catholic 32, Shady Acres 2
Fellowship 9, Methodist 8
Presbyterian 20, Miner Baptist 16
Murray Lane 11, Baptist 6
Standings:
Murray Lane 2-0
Presbyterian 1-0
Methodist 1-0
Miner Baptist 1-0
Catholic 1-1
Fellowship 0-2
Shady Acres 0-2
First Baptist 0-2
Church League Senior Slowpitch Softball Schedule
May 9
Methodist vs Murray Lane
Shady Acres vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Catholic
First Baptist vs Fellowship
May 13
Fellowship vs Miner Baptist
Catholic vs First Baptist
Murray Lane vs Shady Acres
Presbyterian vs First Methodist
May 20
Shady Acres vs Methodist
Murray Lane vs Miner Baptist
First Baptist vs Shady Acres
Fellowship vs Presbyterian
June 6
Catholic vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
First Baptist vs Methodist
Fellowship vs Murray Lane
June 10
Presbyterian vs Miner Baptist
Murray Lane vs First Baptist
Methodist vs Fellowship
Shady Acres vs Catholic
June 13
Shady Acres vs Fellowship
Catholic vs Methodist
Miner Baptist vs Murray Lane
First Baptist vs Presbyterian
June 17
Murray Lane vs Methodist
Fellowship vs First Baptist
Presbyterian vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Miner Baptist
June 21
Miner Baptist vs Fellowship
Methodist vs Presbyterian
First Baptist vs Catholic
Shady Acres vs Murray Lane
June 24
Methodist vs Shady Acres
Presbyterian vs Murray Lane
First Baptist vs Miner Baptist
Fellowship vs Catholic
July 1
Murray Lane vs Catholic
Miner Baptist vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Fellowship
Shady Acres vs First Baptist
Junior Team Schedule
May 14
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Miner Baptist
Presbyterian vs Methodist
Catholic vs Shady Acres
May 16
Wesley Bertrand vs Presbyterian
Shady Acres vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Miner Baptist vs Catholic
May 21
Catholic vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Shady Acres
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Wesley Bertrand
May 23
Shady Acres vs Wesley Bertrand
Presbyterian vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Methodist vs Miner Baptist
May 28
Wesley Bertrand vs Methodist
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
June 4
Methodist vs Shady Acres
Miner Baptist vs Shady Acres
Catholic vs Presbyterian
June 6
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Methodist
Presbyterian vs Miner Baptist
Wesley Bertrand vs Catholic
June 11
Shady Acres vs Catholic
Methodist vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
June 18
Presbyterian vs Wesley Bertrand
Catholic vs Miner Baptist
Murray Lane vs Shady Acres
June 25
Methodist vs Catholic
Wesley Bertrand vs Murray Lane, First Baptist
Shady Acres vs Presbyterian
June 28
Wesley Bertrand vs Shady Acres
Murray Lane First Baptist vs Presbyterian
Miner Baptist vs Methodist
July 2
Methodist vs Wesley Bertrand
Murray Lane, First Baptist vs Catholic
Shady Lane vs Miner Baptist

Trouble mounts at Memphis

MEMPHIS (AP) — A suit was filed Wednesday in an attempt to keep the World Football League's premier franchise out of Memphis and preserve the city's chances for a National Football League expansion team.

The suit by promoter Mike Lynn asks Chancery Court to prevent the city from leasing 50,000-seat Memorial Stadium to the WFL franchise that principal owner John Bassett Jr. plans to move from Toronto to Memphis—featuring Miami Dolphins stars Larry Csonka, Jim Kiick and Paul Warfield— in the 1975 season.

Lynn, who had mounted an eight-year campaign to obtain an NFL team for Memphis, claims the city Park Commission exceeded its authority in voting on Monday to lease the stadium to Bassett. A hearing on the suit was set for next Thursday. Memphis has been one of four cities under consideration for an NFL expansion team, but NFL partisans say the commission's lease decision dashed their hopes for a franchise.

Bassett, a Toronto businessman, went ahead Wednesday afternoon and signed the five-year lease, starting with the WFL season opening July 10, but it still lacks the signatures of the park commissioners. Their attorney, Thomas Prewitt, has signed but said he advised the commissioners not to sign until after the court hearing.

Despite the absence of the commissioners' signatures, Bassett's Memphis attorney, J. Alan Hanover, said the lease is a legally binding agreement.

He said of Lynn's suit, "Personally, I'm embarrassed for the city of Memphis."

Hanover said Bassett had deposited with the commission Wednesday a $75,000 check as a guarantee on the lease.

Bassett wants to field his team in Memphis because of a threat by the Canadian government to keep it from playing in Toronto and competing with the Canadian Football League.

Lynn's suit maintains that the commission, in granting the WFL team perference on playing dates in the stadium, had approved an agreement giving exclusive control on the stadium, effectively denying all other prefessional teams stadium use.

Bassett said he sympathized with NFL supporters who had obtained 33,000 binding agreements for season ticket purchases if the NFL located in Memphis, but hoped for a warm reception for his own team.

Of the suit, he said, "If they run us out of town, I guess they'll run us out of town."

BATTING—Reggie Smith, Cardinals, drove in St. Louis' only runs with a pair of doubles in a 2-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

Forwards hold key in playoffs

BOSTON (AP) — The forwards hold the key for Milwaukee success in its win-or-else National Basketball Association showdown here Friday night, Bucks Coach Larry Costello said Wednesday.

The Bucks, 96-87 losers to the Boston Celtics in Milwaukee Tuesday, trail 3-2 in the best-of-seven NBA championship series. The Celtics would clinch the title by winning Friday, but a Bucks' victory would send the series back to Milwaukee for a seventh game Sunday.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Bucks' 7-foot-2 center, poured in a series-high 37 points Tuesday, but forwards Bob Dandridge and Cornell Warner added only 10 and two, respectively.

"That's where we have the big, big advantage in the matchups," Costello said. "Not Jo-Jo (White) on (Mickey) Davis. Not the other matchups. Right there, in the middle."

The Bucks' practice Wednesday emphasized passing to Abdul-Jabbar and getting the forwards more involved in the offense.

Costello said it is too late to radically change tactics, either on offense or defense.

"What we have to do is hope for good performances from key people," he said. "There is no doubt in my mind that if we run the stuff we talk about, we can win."

"There is no way, no way they can stop that stuff if we get movement and execute," he said. "It's that basic. It's amazing we've done as well as we have, not getting the things done that we should have."

"We've got to get a lot from Dandridge because he's more involved than others," he said.

"We've never pressed like this before. It's phenomenal," Celtics' center Dave Cowens said. "Most of the time during the regular season we played a bother press. But this is a different ball game now."

Boston mainstays Don Chaney and Don Nelson suffered a pulled muscle and torn toenail, respectively, Tuesday, but both are expected to be at or near peak condition Friday.

Bucks' guard Jon McGlocklin aggravated his week-old calf injury and did not practice Wednesday.

"I don't know about Jon," Costello said. "If he can't play, we'll have to use Davis more or get Ron Williams back there."

Although visiting teams have won three of the five games in the series, the Celtics are determined to end it on their home court Friday.

"Now it boils down to who wants the title more," Havlicek said. "Let me just say that none of us wants to come back to Milwaukee."

Kelso beats Scott City

KELSO — Ron Kirby fashioned a four hitter, but his eight walks came back to haunt him as Kelso recorded a 5-1 victory over Scott City Wednesday night in Southeast Missouri Softball League action.

Kirby fanned eight Kelso batters, but the free pass led to three Kelso runs despite the outstanding hitting performance of Ken Dohogne, who had three off Scott City's eight hits.

Charlie Schwartz collected the victory, allowing eight safeties, fanning five and walking two during the seven inning contest.

The victory evened Kelso's record at 1-1 and sends them against Vanduser in their next contest.

SPORTS

TENNIS

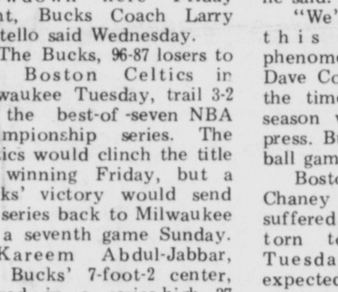
DALLAS — Defending titlist Stan Smith ousted Rod Laver and aggressive John Newcombe defeated Tom Okker to enter the semifinal round of the $100,000 World Championship of Tennis.

HOCKEY

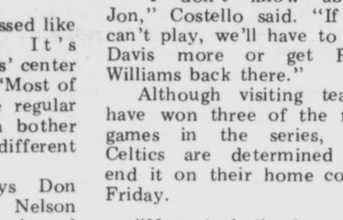
EDMONTON, Alta. — The Edmonton Oilers announced the signings of goaltender Jacques Plante and defensemen Barry Long and Ray McKay to World Hockey Association contracts. The 45-year-old Plante, who retired after the 1972-73 season, will make a comeback as player.

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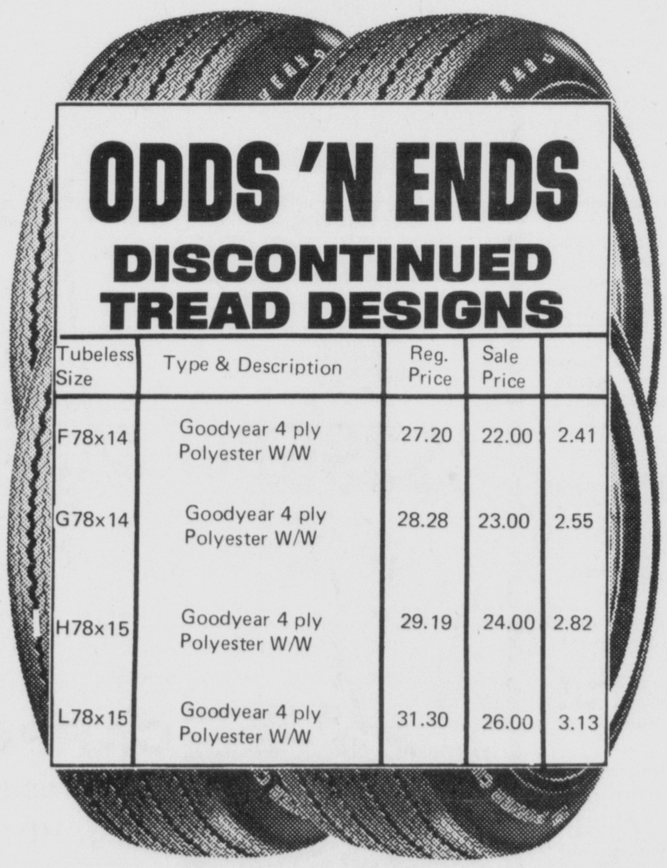


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Looking Back

Students awarded prizes in city poster contest

50 years ago
May 9, 1924

C. O. Scott has opened a barber shop in the Russell Bros. oil implement office and has three chairs. He knows his business and has engaged competent barbers to assist him.

The Russell Brothers have gotten all their large stock of farm implements moved to their new quarters on Ranney avenue and the Missouri Pacific Railway.

Morehouse-- William Marvin Griffin spent Sunday in Dexter visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cook are parents of a son born to them Saturday, May 3.

40 years ago
May 9, 1934

Malone Theatre, today, "Coming Out Party" with Frances Dee, Gene Raymond, Alison Skipworth, Nigel Bruce, and Harry Green.

Six members of the L. A. W. Class of the Christian Church honored R. A. McCord with a birthday party Friday at the church. Guests included women of the class, their husbands, and the Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Talbert of Cape Girardeau.

Frank Dye of Sikeston was re- elected president of the Scott County Rural Mail Carrier's Association at an annual meeting of carriers and an auxiliary held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. O'Neal in Illmo.

Charles F. Mullet, an assistant professor of history at the University of Missouri, spoke Thursday to sophomores, juniors, and seniors, at the high school auditorium.

30 years ago
May 9, 1944

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornell and children of Paducah, Ky., visited with Mrs. Cornell's grandmother, Mrs. Bettie Matthews, Sunday en route to their home from Poplar Bluff, where they had spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corrigan, parents of Mrs. Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holderby have purchased the W. Q. Tanner property on Sikes and after extensive remodeling and redecoration, will occupy it as their home.

Mrs. Lucile Alexander, formerly of Jefferson City, has accepted the position as bookkeeper at Garner- Dement Motor Co. She and her daughter, Judy, are residing with her mother, Mrs. Edith Spidell, 622 Matthews.

Pvt. and Mrs. Maurice Righter are parents of their first child, a son born April 26 at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. He has been named Louis Dean. Pvt. Righter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Righter of Sikeston, and is stationed at Jefferson Barracks.

20 years ago
May 9, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Clark of Route 4, Sikeston, are parents of a baby girl born at the Delta Community Hospital on the seventh. She has been given the name of Joy Lee. This is the first child. Her mother is the former Miss Mary Lee Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey, Sikeston, are parents of a daughter born on the seventh.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoxworth, former residents of Morley, are parents of a daughter, Brenda Lee, born April 22 at Marion, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Chandler of Portageville are parents of a daughter born Saturday.

A daughter was also born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brasher of Oran.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kitchen of Morehouse are parents of a daughter Saturday.

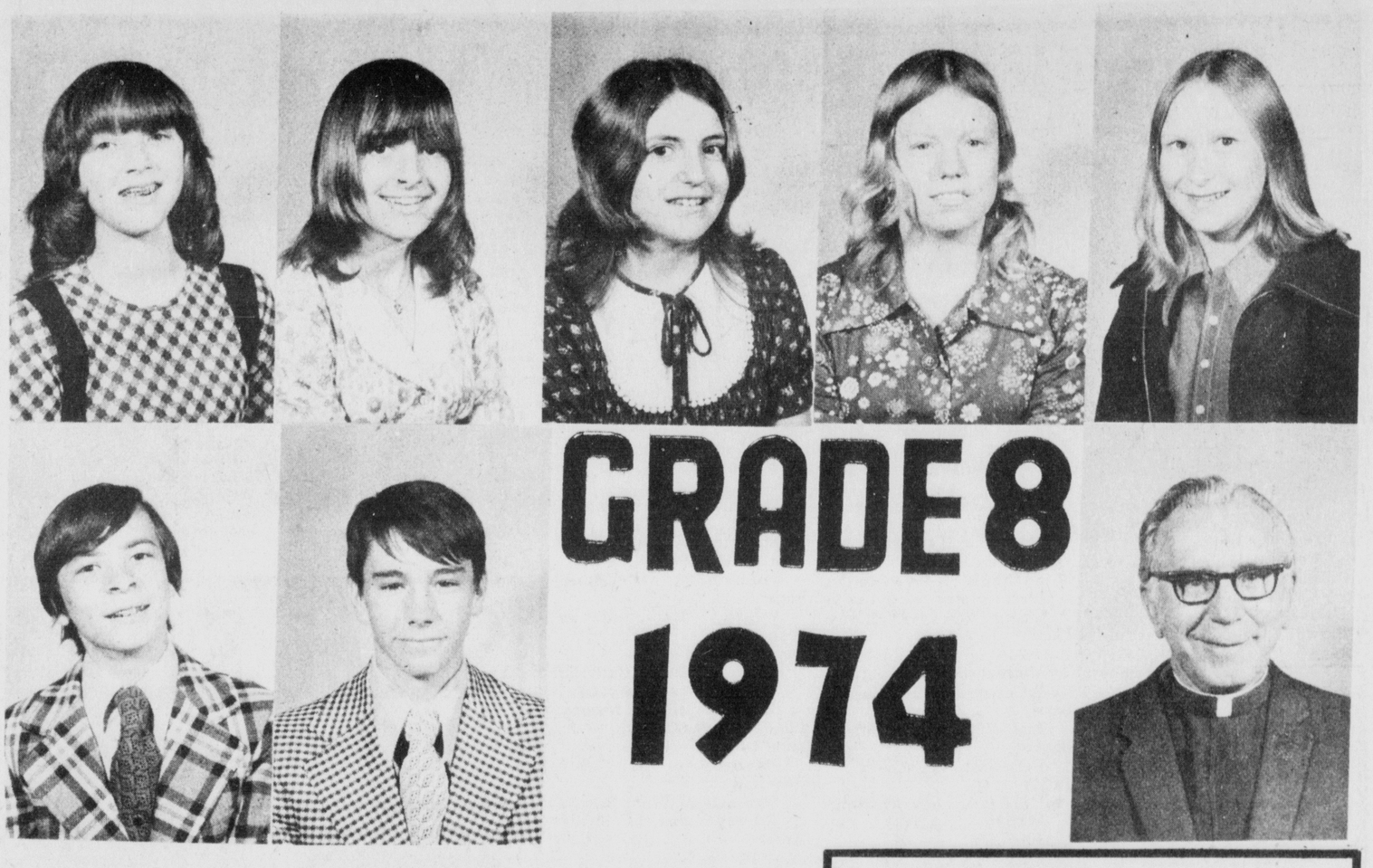
A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Opal Kidd of Vanduser.

More than 100 posters were displayed in the Chamber of Commerce offices Monday when Mrs. Robert S. Matthews and Mrs. Kelsey Short arrived to judge the efforts of the school children in the poster contest that was part of the Clean- Up- Fix- Up and Paint- Up campaign now under way in Sikeston. Three prizes were offered in each of the four divisions and the winners were as follows: High School: Linda French, Martha Baker, and Rosemarie Johnson; Upper Grade: Terry Reed, Kay Standley, and Evelyn Barnes; Intermediate: Glenda Dusmuke, Maida Seymour, and Marian Seabaugh; and Primary: Pamela Conn, Betsey Henley, and Roger Stour.

Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Marks are parents of a daughter born Monday at the local hospital.

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Benthal of Lilbourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Roberts of Shelley, Idaho are parents of a son born Tuesday, April 27.



Immaculate Conception graduates

Eighth grade graduates of Immaculate Conception Catholic School at New Madrid for 1974, top row, from left, are Leann Hunter, Dana Lynn Hendricks, Lynette Porter, Linda Phillips and Shirley Lynn Young; bottom row, Steven Hatley, Lee Andrew Hunter and the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, parish priest. The graduates will be guests of the seventh grade at a dinner at 5:30 p.m. on May 21, and graduation will be on May 22 at a 10 a.m. mass.

What's the law?

The case of the creamed salesman

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Wilbur started out a winner and ended up a loser. Having won a free weekend as a prize for being the top salesman for a dairy company, he got "creamed" by another vehicle as he was driving to his reward. Wrapped- up pretty good in the collision, he was forced to spend a considerable period of time in the hospital and away from his job. And, his ill- fortune didn't end there. When Wilbur applied for a workman's compensation award, he was turned down colder than a package of frozen blintzes.

"We're sorry," he was told, "but you were injured while on vacation. And anybody knows that a person can't collect workman's compensation for injuries received while on a pleasure trip."

"Some pleasure trip!" responded Wilbur. "I almost got killed. What's more, the only reason I went was because the company paid me to go. Having been so generous, it has no right now to be so miserly. Without question, I'm entitled to an award."

When it wasn't forthcoming, Wilbur took his claim to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the dairy salesman to collect compensation for having been creamed?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that the prize awarded to Wilbur was an outgrowth of his company's sales program. The prize was sponsored by the company, paid for by the company and was for the benefit of the company. Consequently, concluded the judge, Wilbur's injuries arose out of and in the course of his employment so as to entitle him to workman's compensation.

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Isn't there something I should be taking for low blood pressure? I'm getting dizzy spells for some reason and thought the pressure might be the cause.

DEAR READER — That is not an unusal pressure for a small woman like you. The important question is, what is causing your dizziness? There are many causes for dizziness, and it is true that inadquate circulation to the brain is one. It is also true that medicines can be a cause. First on my list of causes for your problem is the Soma compound you are taking.

Soma is a good medicine. It will relax muscle spasms and is commonly used for patients with your problems. However, rarely it will cause dizziness. You may well be one of the rare individuals in whom this occurs. You should go see your doctor, and I would suggest that the first thing to try would be to stop the Soma compound. If it doesn't correct the problem, he will want to check other possibilities for dizziness.

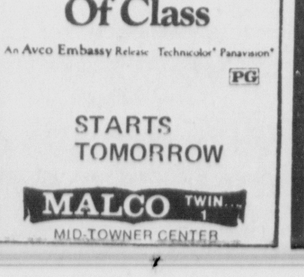
For those few individuals who have dizziness related to low blood pressure, some pressure stockings are helpful. The elastic-like pressure helps to prevent too much blood accumulating in the legs and in this way helps maintain good circulation to the brain.

Before you get too worried about your blood pressure, I must tell you my pressure is commonly lower than yours. Some people claim I'm dizzy, but I haven't felt any dizzy spells yet.

Send your questions to Dr. Lamb, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. For a copy of Dr. Lamb's booklet on balanced diet, send 50 cents to the same address and ask for "Balanced Diet" booklet.

Prayer for today
from the Upper Room

"Peter opened his mouth and said: 'Truly I perceive that God shows no partiality, but in every nation any one who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him." (Act. 10:34-35)



The door won't be open on hot days any more--Grant's tomb is air-conditioned!

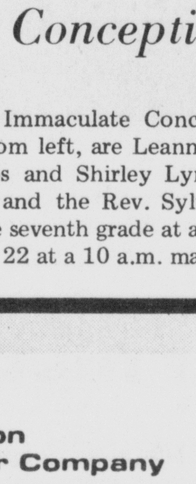
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SATURDAY, MAY 11
THE NOW SOUNDS
9 TO 1 PM $5.00 A COUPLE
ELKS MEMBERS & GUESTS

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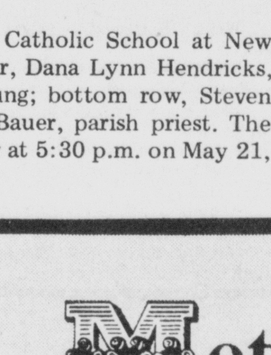
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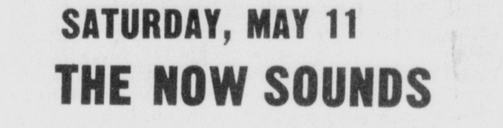


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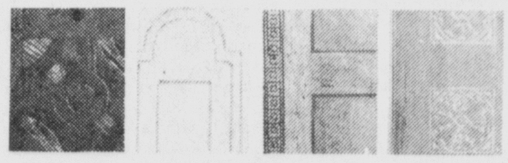


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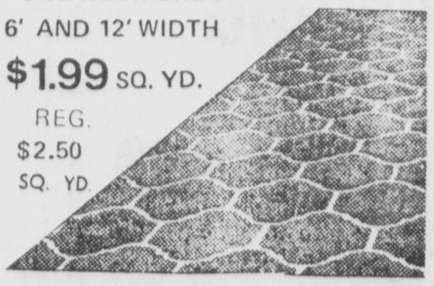


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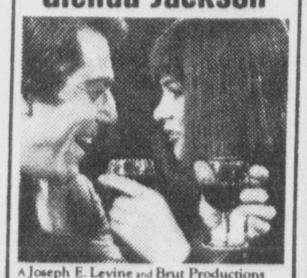
MALCO TWIN 1
MID-TOWNER CENTER
FEATURE 7:00
A JOHN BOORMAN FILM
ZARDOZ
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20th CENTURY FOX

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OUT OUR WAY — by Neg Cochran



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"This? Oh, this is for you people to put tips in when I eat something I don't like!"

SIDE GLANCES — by Gill Fox



"Don't worry about the suntan lotion, Miss Peters. I'll slip it into my expense account under 'public relations'!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLIAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Fine	31 Gets	61 True	
2 Don't	32 From	62 A	
3 Throw	33 Luck	63 Do	
4 Opportunity	34 To	64 Opposite	
5 Your	35 Advertising	65 Dealings	
6 Keep	36 Try	66 Love	
7 Be	37 You	67 Circle	
8 Make	38 Entertain	68 Affair	
9 Weather	39 Someone	69 Moves	
10 Unusual	40 A	70 Them	
11 People	41 Gentle	71 Friends	
12 Special	42 You	72 Distance	
13 For	43 Worry	73 Sex	
14 Like	44 In	74 Likely	
15 Mind's	45 Off	75 Could	
16 A	46 Making	76 Land	
17 Develops	47 Oldtime	77 On	
18 Depend	48 To	78 And	
19 Patient	49 At	79 Of	
20 Change	50 Go-between	80 Good	
21 Free	51 Can	81 Coveted	
22 Good	52 With	82 It	
23 Effort	53 Eat	83 Rest	
24 Selling	54 Money	84 The	
25 You	55 A	85 Rocks	
26 Keen	56 To	86 Friends	
27 Party	57 Enlarge	87 Well	
28 Through	58 Financial	88 Start	
29 On	59 Please	89 Yourself	
30 And	60 Gain	90 Goals	

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 8-12-23-34 / 57-67-79-86

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 9-20-31-42 / 45-56-80-88

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 4-17-28-39 / 49-62-72

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 2-18-29-40 / 50-63-82-89

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 3-16-27-38 / 47-61-71

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 1-13-24-35 / 46-58-69

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 5-15-26-37 / 51-60-81-90

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 11-14-25-36 / 48-59-70

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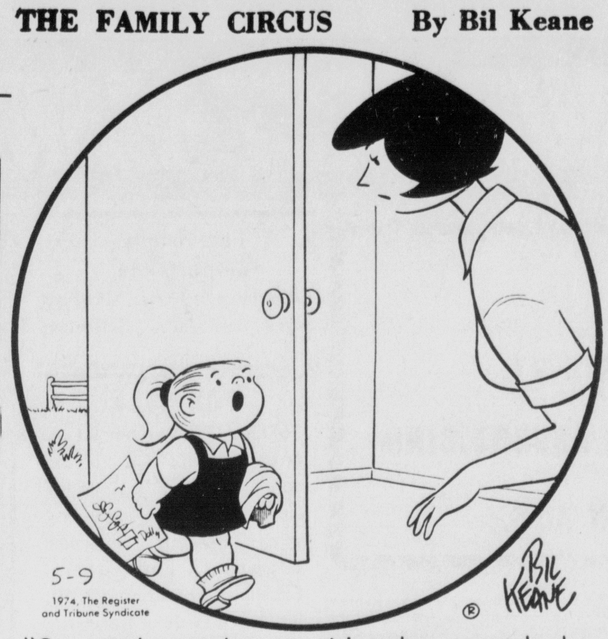
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AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 6-21-32-43 / 53-78-83-87

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 7-19-30-41 / 52-64-73

F12 Good · Adverse · 5/10 Neutral

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"Our regular teacher was sick today, so we had a sitter."



"HEY! THAT WAS MY LUNCH!"



Canada

Answer to Previous Puzzle

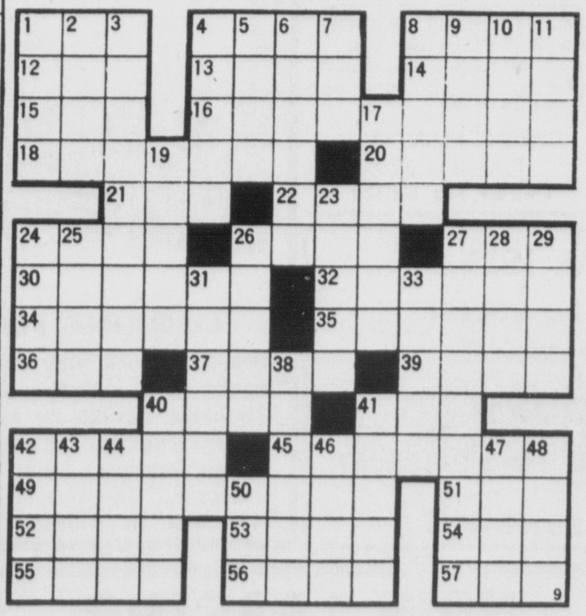
ACROSS

1 Canadian province (ab.)
4 Canada exports many ——
8 It ——s in world production of nickel
12 GI's address (ab.)
13 Arrow poison
14 Therefore (Latin)
15 It has many —— plants
16 Central American republic
18 Art admirer
20 Property item
21 Pronoun
22 Palm fruit
24 Pulls along
26 Feminine nickname
27 Persian gateway
30 Zoroastrian sacred books
32 Breed of sheep
34 Sees again
35 Expunges
36 School subject
37 Small food fish
39 Facts
40 Let it stand
41 Metal fastener
42 Savor
45 City in Ontario
49 Alluvial land
51 Canton in Switzerland
52 Sora
53 Inspires with reverence
54 Feminine nickname
55 French verb
56 Light browns
57 Kind of bean

DOWN

1 Magistrate's staff
2 Wallabas
3 Canada's —— Territory
4 More pulverized
5 Distinct part
6 Move back
7 St. Lawrence ——way
8 Rental contract
9 Units of energy
10 Malarial fever
11 Love to excess (var.)
17 Rodent-catching dog
19 German state
23 Medieval helmet
24 Ancient Irish capital
25 Above
26 Canadian peninsula
27 Cancels
28 The dill
29 Girl's name
31 Bed canopy
33 Television's forerunner
38 Capital of Canada
40 Greek gravestone
41 Iron
42 Car accessory
43 Anatomy (ab.)
44 Mix
46 Boy's name
47 Singing group
48 Unctuous
50 Large tub

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Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, May 9, the 129th day of 1974. There are 236 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1936, Italy annexed Ethiopia, and King Victor Emmanuel was proclaimed emperor.

On this date—

In 1502, Christopher Columbus set out from Cadiz, Spain on his fourth and last voyage to the new world.

In 1754, the first newspaper cartoon in America was published by Benjamin Franklin in his Pennsylvania Gazette.

In 1926, U.S. Navy commander Richard E. Byrd and Floyd Bennett became the first men to make an airplane flight over the North Pole.

In 1944, during the second World War, the Soviets recaptured the Black Sea naval base of Sevastipol.

In 1957, President Ngo Dinh Diem of South Vietnam addressed a joint session of the U.S. Congress during a visit to Washington.

In 1963, an agreement was reached to halt racial violence in Birmingham, Ala.

Ten years ago: In Cairo, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev told thousands of cheering Egyptians he was making his first visit to Africa to aid what he called the struggles for peace and liberation.

Five years ago: The Roman Catholic Church dropped 200 saints from the liturgical calendar as part of the reforms urged by the second Vatican Council.

Today's birthdays: Former Agriculture Secretary Orville Freeman is 53 years old. The activist Catholic priest, Daniel Berrigan, is 53. Singer Hank Snow is 60.

Thought for today: Not life, but a good life, is to be chiefly valued — Socrates, Greek philospher, about 470-399 B.C.

They'll Do It Every Time





STEVE CANYON by Milton Canniff



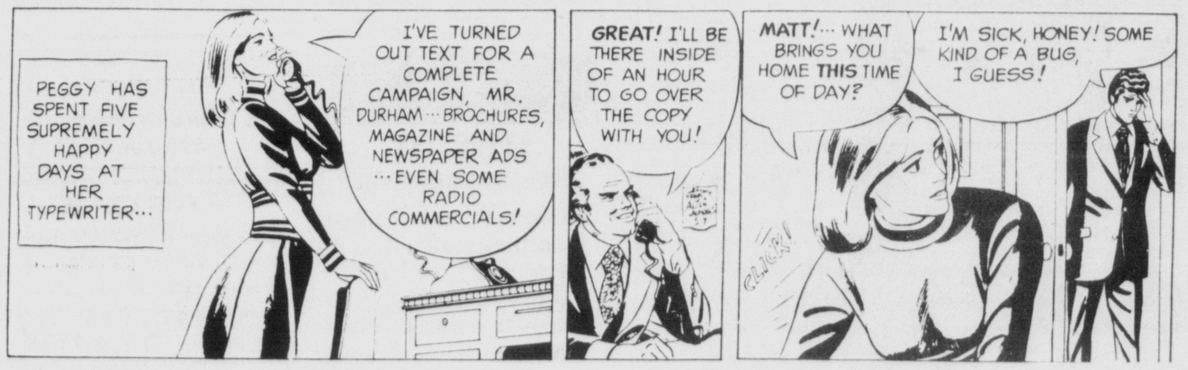
CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence



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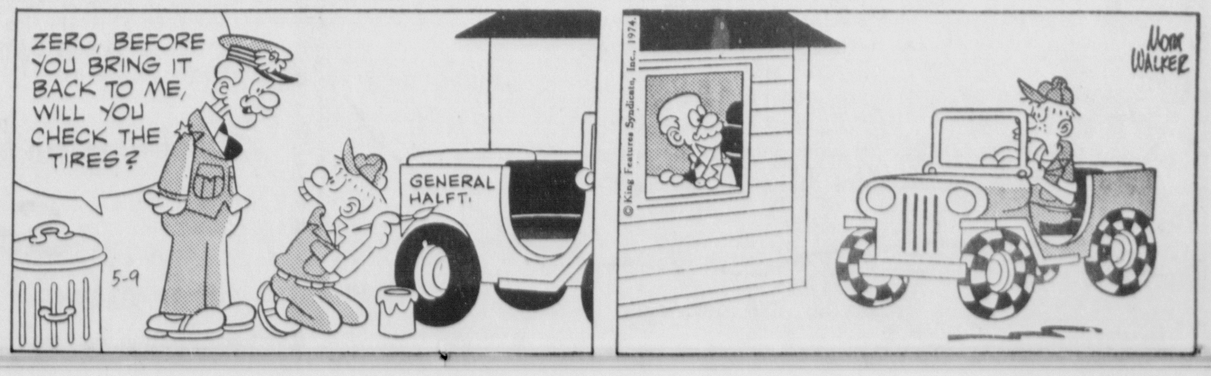
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STRIKING silhouette was captured on film when an amateur photo buff saw this lass quenching her thirst in a way some may consider most unladylike. Regardless, what else can a thirsty girl do without a glass?

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI,)
ss.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI at Benton, Missouri
In the estate of)
RUTH MALONE)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4245
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Ruth Malone, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 15th day of June, 1974 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Attorney: Kenneth L. Dement, 310 West North, Sikeston, Missouri. Telephone Number 314 471-1833
Executors:
Daniel E. Malone, 501 Hunter, Sikeston, Mo. Telephone Number: 314 471-2897 and W. B. Malone, Jr. 2917 W. Rollins, Apt. 10C, Columbia, Mo.
60, 66, 72, 78

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Robert E. Rodgers and Patricia A. Rodgers, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 28 day of March, 1972, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 180, Page 57, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

The East 70 feet of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Five (5) of McPheeters Addition, Benton, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on June 4, 1974, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams, Trustee
60, 66, 72, 78

2. Card of Thanks

The family of Melvin Latham wish to extend our deepest appreciation and thanks to everyone for the kindness shown us during our time of bereavement.
We wish to extend a special thanks to the Cline's Island Baptist Church and to the Old Bethel Baptist Church. Special thanks, also to Bro. Joe Skinner for the wonderful service and for the deep concern and sympathy he has shown us. Special thanks to the Bethelaires for their beautiful singing and to the Bill O'Guinn Funeral Home for their wonderful services and concern. Also to all the wonderful neighbors and friends who brought in food. Thank you for the beautiful flowers, your words of sympathy, and your prayers. Your kindness will never be forgotten.
Mrs. Maude Latham and Family

4. Notices

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2 bedroom furnished apartment, carpeted, adults only $125 per month. Call 472-0764

For Rent — Furnished apartment. Adults only 471-0416

3 bedroom mobile home private lot. Central air, anchored $110 mo. 688-2263 Lilbourn

NOTICE

EFFECTIVE SATURDAY, APRIL 27,

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WILL BE OPEN FOR CALL IN ADS.

RAMADA PARTS
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8. Apartments - Unfurn.

1 br. apt. & 2 br townhouse. Call 471-0324 or 471-5400.

3 room duplex, redecorated. Adults only Call 471-4077

9. House For Rent

2 bedroom house 911 Lora, $75. Call 471-1368

To Small Family 1 bedroom house Clean carpeted and air cond., 410 Kendall. Call 471-1293

Two bedroom house, family room, patio, fully carpeted, 405 Clayton St. $135 monthly. Call after 5, 471-3747

Three bedroom house for rent $300. Call 471-8391

10. Furnished Houses

For Rent — Nice 5 room furnished house, carpet. Call 471-4481

Furnished 2 bedroom house for rent. Adults only. Call 471-9942

3 bedroom mobile home, private lot. Central air, Anchored. $110. Mo. 688-2263 Lilbourn, Mo.

11. Misc. For Rent

For Rent — Modern Office Space Utilities furn. $80. Mo. 471-5294

Choice Office Space for rent. 124 E. Center St.
Jim Beaird or Jim Smith
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FOR LEASE

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For Rent — Office space, will decorate to suit tenant. Phone service available. Utilities furn. 471-2131

11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

For Sale 12x65 Furnished Central Air, call after 5 471-8493

Mobile home for rent. Contact: C. J. James. 471-3450

For Rent — All modern trailer, 2 bedroom with air, private lot. Phone 471-1254

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8½ horse generator, 220 and 110 electrical tools, drills, chain saws, skill saws, and electrical lines. Call 471-4903.

Two G. E. air conditioners one 1800 BTU, one 1200 BTU. Call 667-5634

Argus 8 MM movie projector $25. Call 471-1742

New, 1973 Steurey 18½' self-contained travel trailer. Sleeps five. Call 472-0129.

Porch sale and furniture, 127 Fifth, Thursday, May 9, 8-5 p.m.

For Sale — 1972 Yamaha 125 Enduro. Good condition $450. Call 471-2772

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FOR SALE

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Carport sale 400 Southwest Street Tuesday, May 7 through Sat. May 11. 9 to 5 p.m.

Two modern office desks, two four drawer filing cabinets. Call 471-2969

CARPORT SALE
204 Illinois
Thurs and Friday
9AM to 5PM
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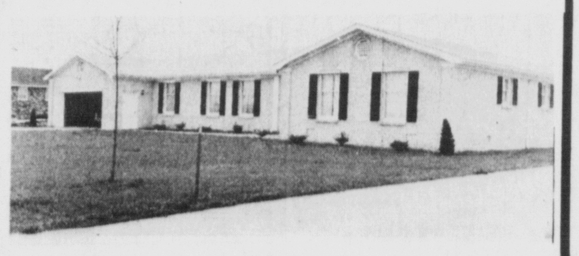
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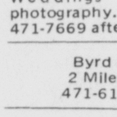
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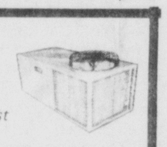
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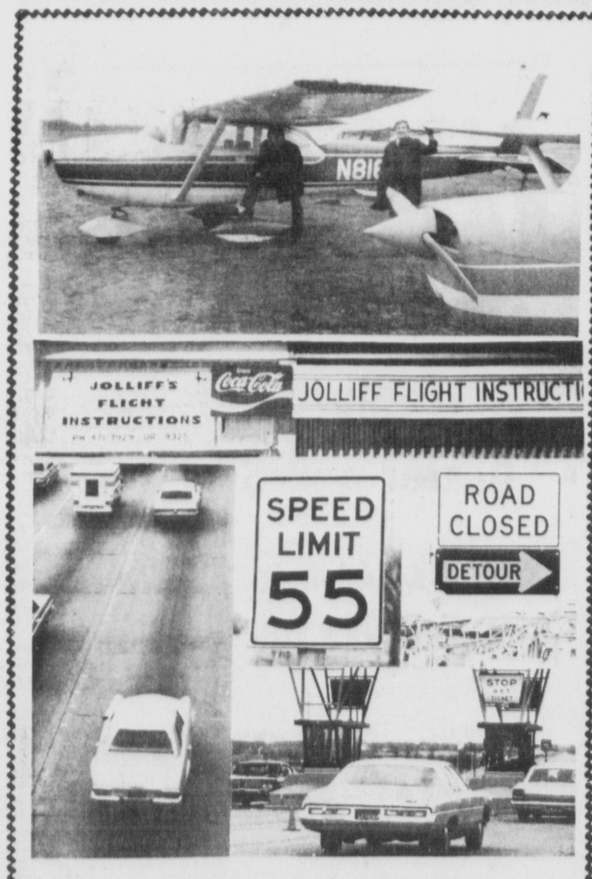
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Deaths

ALLEN J. DAVIS

BENTON — Pallbearers at services Wednesday for Allen J. Davis, 65, who died Monday, were Floyd Dover, Johnny Greer, Buddy Vanover, Bill McCann, Jim Terrell and Tom Poole.

His widow, the former Wanda Mae German, was omitted from the list of survivors in Tuesday's edition of The Daily Standard.

ANDREW J. SMITH

DUDLEY — Andrew Jackson Smith, 79, a retired farmer, died Wednesday at Dexter.

He was born April 6, 1895 at Dudley to the late Joda and Rosie Williams Smith and had lived in the Dudley and Puxico area all his life.

He was a member of Corinth General Baptist Church near Puxico.

On Nov. 2, 1914, he married Nancy Shelby, who died Nov. 5, 1969.

Surviving are three sons, Leo, Woodrow and Hansel Smith of St. Louis; three daughters, Mrs. Freda Rankin and Mrs. Norman D. Martin of St. Louis and Mrs. Berniece Harty of Puxico; two sisters, Mrs. Rachael Ham of Puxico and Mrs. Bertie Thorne of Dexter; and 17 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Watkins and Sons Funeral Home at Puxico.

Burial was in Puxico Cemetery.

HAZZIE MEATHEANY

EAST PRAIRIE — Hazzie Meatheany, 80, of 507 Tyler St., died Thursday at his home.

Born Oct. 22, 1893 in Martin, Tenn., to the late Mr. and Mrs. Addie Meatheany, he had lived in East Prairie for 15 years and was a member of the Church of Christ.

On Aug. 26, 1917, he married Sarah Haines, who died March 16, 1971.

Surviving are three sons, A. J. Meatheany of Rosemont, Ill., Jim Meatheany of Benton, Ark., and Doyle Meatheany of O'Fallon; five daughters, Mrs. Hazel Pope of Fruitport, Mich., Mrs. Opal McCormick of Campbell, Mrs. Lillian Redden of Neelyville, Miss Helen Meatheany and Mrs. Roberta Freed of O'Fallon; one brother, Luther Meatheany of Murray, Ky.; and 22 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at Shelby Funeral Home, where serivces are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Elva Archie, pastor of Barnes Ridge Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

RUBY JEWEL METCALF

SPRINGFIELD — Mrs. Ruby Jewel Metcalf, 55, formerly of the Morehouse area, died at 5:17 p.m. Tuesday in Cox Medical Center.

She had lived at Springfield for four years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Doris Roberts of St. Louis and Mrs. Virginia Sauer of Springfield; a brother, Eugene Oliver of Edgemont, Ill.; a sister, Ambia Smith of Edgemont, and three grandchildren.

The body is being taken to Hoffmeister Funeral Home in St. Louis for services and burial in Mount Hope Cemetery.

WALTER HARRISON

CLARKTON--- Walter Harrison, 79, a retired farmer, was dead on arrival at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett following an apparent heart attack at his home.

He was born Nov. 18, 1894 in Oraville, Ill., to the late George B. and Lucinda Sorrells Harrison and had lived in the Clarkton area since 1914.

On June 11, 1916, he married Lena Mae Ray, who died Oct. 12, 1972.

He was a member of the Clarkton Methodist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Miller of Battle Creek, Mich., Norma Lou Battles of Festus, Mrs. June Battles of Rensselaer, Ind., and Mrs. Eva Mae Currens of Buckeye, Ariz.; four sons, Winfred and Robert David Harrison of Clarkton, George William Harrison of Green Bay, Wis., and Farris Harrison of Payson, Ariz.; two sisters, Mrs. Delia Stuart of Clarkton and Mrs. Sylvia Lindsey of Poplar Bluff; and 30 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Landess Funeral Home in Malden, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Rev. T. K. Prentice of Malden officiating.

Burial will be in Stanfield Cemetery at Clarkton.

CLYDE O. NEWCUM

CHARLESTON — Clyde Oscar Newcum, 80, a retired farmer, died at 12:25 p.m. Wednesday in the Host House following an illness of four months.

Born March 13, 1894 in the Thompson Bend community to the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Newcum, he had lived in Mississippi County his entire life and was a member of St. Henry's Catholic Church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Rolwing of Charleston Route Two and Mrs. Leta Hunt of Charleston.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Friday at McMikle Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Henry's Catholic Church with Msgr. Charles P. Schmitt and the Rev. Michael Swalina officiating.

Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

Members of St. Henry's parish family will assemble at 8 p.m. Friday in the McMikel chapel for scripture reading and prayer.

JOSEPH A. ENGRAM

VANDUSER — Joseph Allen Engram, 48, a prominent Route One farmer, died at 4 a.m. today in his home following an apparent heart attack.

Born May 24, 1925 at Canalou, he was the son of the Fannie Westerfield Barnes and the late Allen Engram.

He was a member of the Vanduser Church of Christ and Lakeville Lodge No. 489 AF & AM and had been a resident of Vanduser since 1940.

Surviving are his stepfather, Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser; one daughter, Linda Lou Engram of Vanduser; two brothers, John Engram of Vanduser and Harley Barnes Jr. of Sikeston; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ida Westerfield of Morley.

Friends may call after 11 a.m. Friday at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston, where services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Saturday with Charles Cheatham, minister of Tanner Street Church of Christ in Sikeston, officiating.

Burial will be in the Sikeston City Cemeterv.

BRADLEY M. HOPWOOD

MALDEN — Funeral services for Bradley Mark Hopwood, 17, who died Wednesday of injuries received in a motorcycle accident Tuesday, are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in First Christian Church. The Rev. Richard Davison will officiate.

Burial will be in a Fairdealing cemetery.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Landess Funeral Home.

Hopwood was born Oct. 8, 1958 in Cape Girardeau to Glen and Margaret Hopwood, who survive. His father operates Hopwood Flying Service and SeMo Aviation.

He was a member of First Christian Church and played on the junior high school football team.

Other survivors include two brothers, Rance and Reggie Hopwood of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Slayton of Fairdealing; and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Villa Hopwood of Springfield, Ill.

BENJAMIN H. BARKER

DORENA — Benjamin Harrison Barker, 80, a prominent farmer in the East Prairie area, died at 3:45 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

He was born Feb. 20, 1894 in Dorena to the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClellan Kelly Barker. He had lived in Mississippi County all of his life and was a member of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church at East Prairie.

His first wife, Nola Morgan Barker, preceded him in death. His second wife, Opal Marie Morgan Barker, survives.

Also surviving are four sons, Harry Blaine Barker of Dexter, Bill Barker of Charleston, Sam Barker of East Prairie and William Randolph Barker of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Eugenia Adkisson of East Prairie, Mrs. Mera Ben Bess of St. Louis and Mrs. Carolyn Smithson of Sunnyvale, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Guy Glover of Sikeston and Mrs. J. H. Ashlock of East Prairie; and one brother, Eugene Barker of Dorena.

Friends may call at Shelby Funeral Home in East Prairie, where services are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. Saturday. The Rev. Glen Lashley, pastor of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

HOUSTON (AP) — The 45-day Women's International Bowling Congress tournament runs through May 18 on a 72-lane center in Houston. A total of 5,734 five-woman teams have entered with prize money of $417,779. It's the second richest WIBC in history.

Marshal's wife to be deputy

Miner Marshal Andy Freeman said today his wife Lola will serve as a volunteer deputy marshal and will be the first woman deputy marshal to serve the community.

Freeman said his wife's praimary duties will be to assist in searching female subjects.

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school system for 18 years; Helen Reuter, a councilor and teacher of personal analysis at the high school who has been with the system for 20 years; and James Stroud, a power mechanics teacher at the high school who has taught at the school for nine years.

The teachers each received a certificate and a single red rose during a short ceremony at the meeting.

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Mrs. Gwaltney, who lived in Halls, Tenn., was visiting in her daughter's home.

Mrs. Curtis's 15- year - old daughter, Brenda Underwood, said she witnessed the shooting and escaped injury by climbing through a window and running to the home of a neighbor who notified police. Two other children of Mrs. Curtis were reportedly in a bedroom of the home at the time of the shooting.

The bodies of the women have been taken to Garner Funeral Home at Ripley, Tenn., for services and burial. Arrangements were incomplete this morning.

Weather Elsewhere

By The Associated Press
Thursday

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	60	50		rn
Albu'que	88	55		cdy
Amarillo	91	60		cdy
Anchorage	55	37		cdy
Asheville	71	51		cdy
Atlanta	78	59	.03	cdy
Birmingham	75	59	.38	cdy
Jbismarck	66	38		rn
Boise	79	51		cdy
Boston	62	44		rn
Brownsville	85	75		cdy
Buffalo	53	44	.28	rn
Charleston	74	68		cdy
Charlotte	73	59	.14	cdy
Chicago	45	40		cdy
Cincinnati	57	49	.16	cdy
Cleveland	54	51	.51	rn
Denver	85	50		cdy
Des Moines	48	45		rn
Detroit	45	41	.91	cdy

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Some paintings are sold even before they are completed, or sight unseen, Rhinehart explained.

Prices of his paintings range from $300 to $7,500 -- the most one of his paintings ever sold for. He added that currently he is working on one that will be sold for much more than that highest amount. Rhinehart establishes his prices on the quality of the painting.

Some of Rhinehart's paintings have titles, although he cautions that an artist must be very careful in titling a picture.

Most of the paintings with titles are abstracts and the titles are taken from the Bible. Rhinehart said that this is because of the strength and mystery of the Bible and because the Bible is itself abstract.

One example of a title Rhinehart has used is, "And what did you go out to see? A reed shaking in the wind." A story also is connected with this title and painting. At one show, viewers of Rhinehart's work noticed a small boy standing in front of this particular picture swaying back and forth.

People gathered around, Rhinehart said, when they noticed how involved the boy had become in the painting. It was as if the youth actually saw and felt the reeds swaying.

Not only is Rhinehart a painter, but he is also somewhat of a poet. He has written nine poems and hopes to have them made into a book some day. His wife describes them as "beautiful."

One poem was written from a painting. Rhinehart explained that he had begun an abstract painting on the emotions he felt on seeing his first buffalo out West. "I had the painting half finished," Rhinehart said, "and felt I needed to write." So he stopped, wrote a poem on the subject in 15 minutes and then completed the painting.

The Rhineharts have 11 children -- five still at home -- and three grandchildren. There may be another artist in the family, Mrs. Rhinehart said, explaining that their 13 - year - old son has a very creative mind. She added that all of their children have a great interest in art.

Aside from painting, Rhinehart also enjoys playing the guitar and singing -- mostly for his own and his family's amusement, he adds -- fishing and piloting a plane. He is also interested in body building -- specifically weight lifting.

World news in brief

WASHINGTON (AP) — A scientific armada is being readied to study one of the weakest links in science's understanding of how global weather and climate is produced. More than 4,000 scientists and other personnel of 66 nations will undertake the study of the vast sundrenched land, sea and atmospheric areas of the world's tropics this summer. The $53 million venture is led by the United States and the Soviet Union.

DETROIT (AP) — Weather conditions, air pollution and news headlines each play a different role in mental health, a University of Pennsylvania research team reports. The researchers told the American Psychiatric Association on Wednesday that high barometric pressure is associated with depression and low barometric pressure with intoxication. They found in a study that heavy pollution brought psychiatric contacts with people suffering various types of organic brain damages. News headlines showed the least linkage with the psychiatric emergencies but could still be implicated for "the worsening of neurotic and family conflicts" or increased bravado that could lead to fatal accidents, the researchers reported.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Dr. Reinhold Aman has a different view of the Watergate transcripts than some who have criticized the salty language in the White House conversations. "I just eat it up," says Aman, an expert on swearing. The 38-year-old University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee professor says cursing is a necessary means of letting off steam in nearly every language. Aman, who can curse in 50 languages, says his biggest disappointment in the Watergate transcripts is that the expletives have been deleted and he's trying to figure out just what the dropped words are. "I wish I could get all the expletives," he says. "That would be like winning at a lottery or something."

SWIFTWATER, Pa. (AP) — The parents of Mary Jo Kopechne, who drowned when Sen. Edward M. Kennedy's car went off a bridge five years ago, say they will support the Massachusetts Democrat for President.

"We like the senator just as we liked his brothers, Robert and the President," said Gwen Kopechne, 56. "He stands for what I think is right. He's a lot better than what we've got now."

She and her husband, Joseph, 61, both said they thought Kennedy's political strength is in his appeal to youth. Kennedy, who has said he will decide next year about seeking the Presidency, has acknowledged the 1969 incident involving Miss Kopechne probably would be an issue if he runs.

OTTAWA (AP) — Canada's political parties began preparing today for a general election in July following the overthrow of Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau's Liberal government. Inflation was certain to be the major campaign issue. By a vote of 137-123, the House of Commons adopted a motion of no confidence in Trudeau's minority government. The 54-year-old prime minister said he would call on Governor-General Jules Leger this morning to ask him to dissolve the lower house and call an election. Election day is expected to be July 8.

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Daniel Oduber, who 26 years ago joined a revolution over an annulled election, has gained some fruits for his effort.

Oduber, 51, was inaugurated as president of Costa Rica on Wednesday, and promptly issued a warning to foreign investors. He said his government would issue a ruling to limit foreign investment to minority ownership of companies.

Oduber, a lawyer, was elected president over eight other candidates.

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